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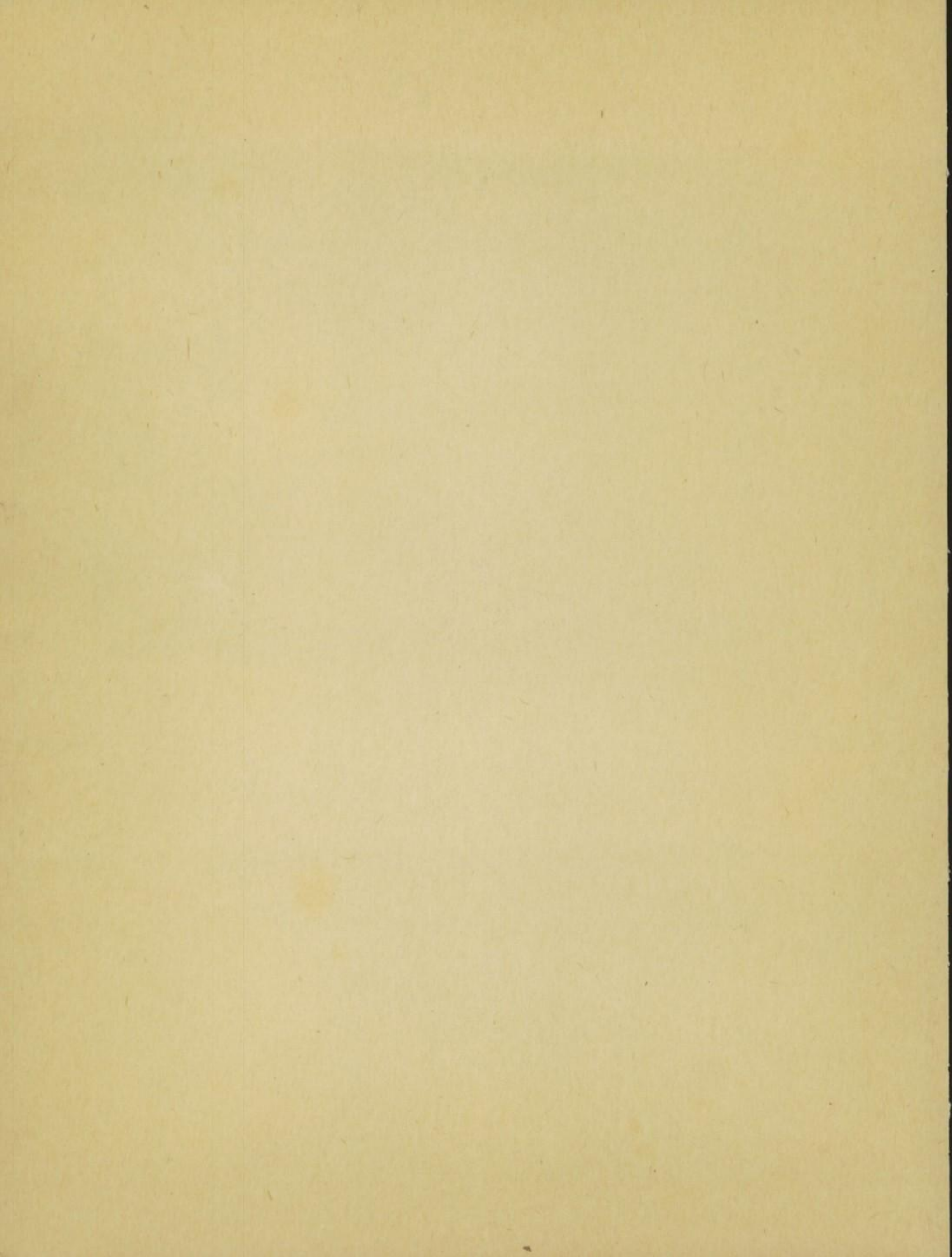














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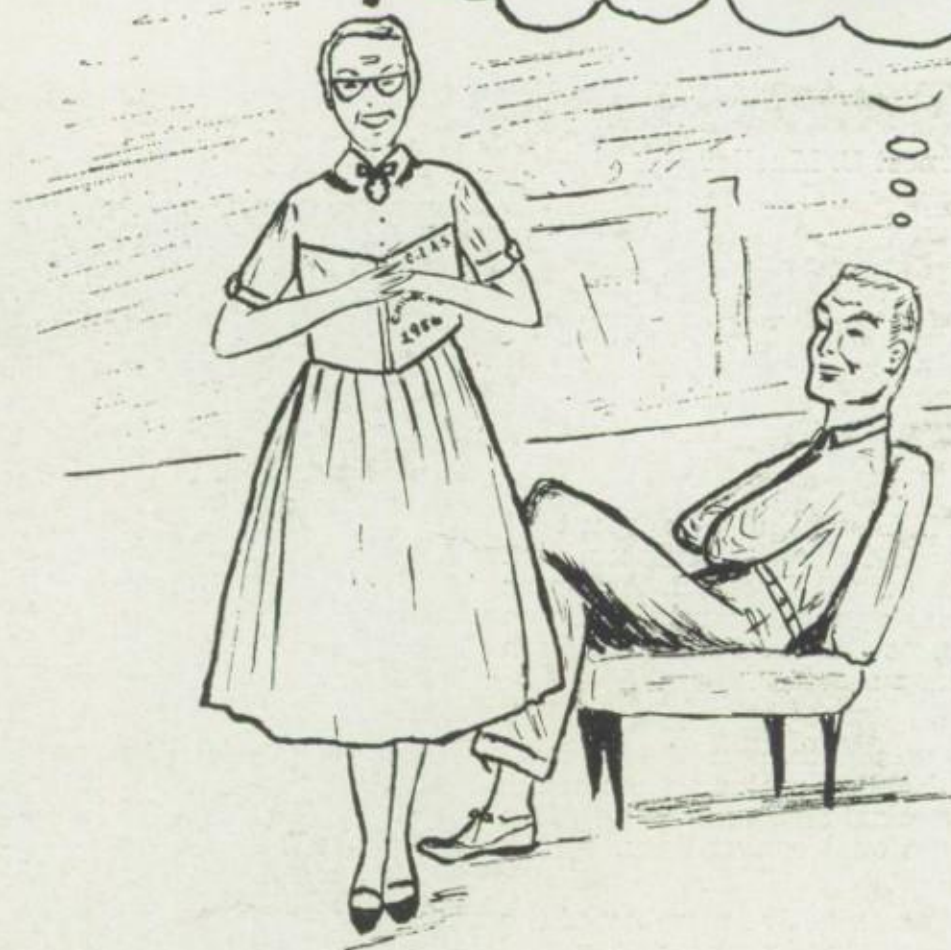
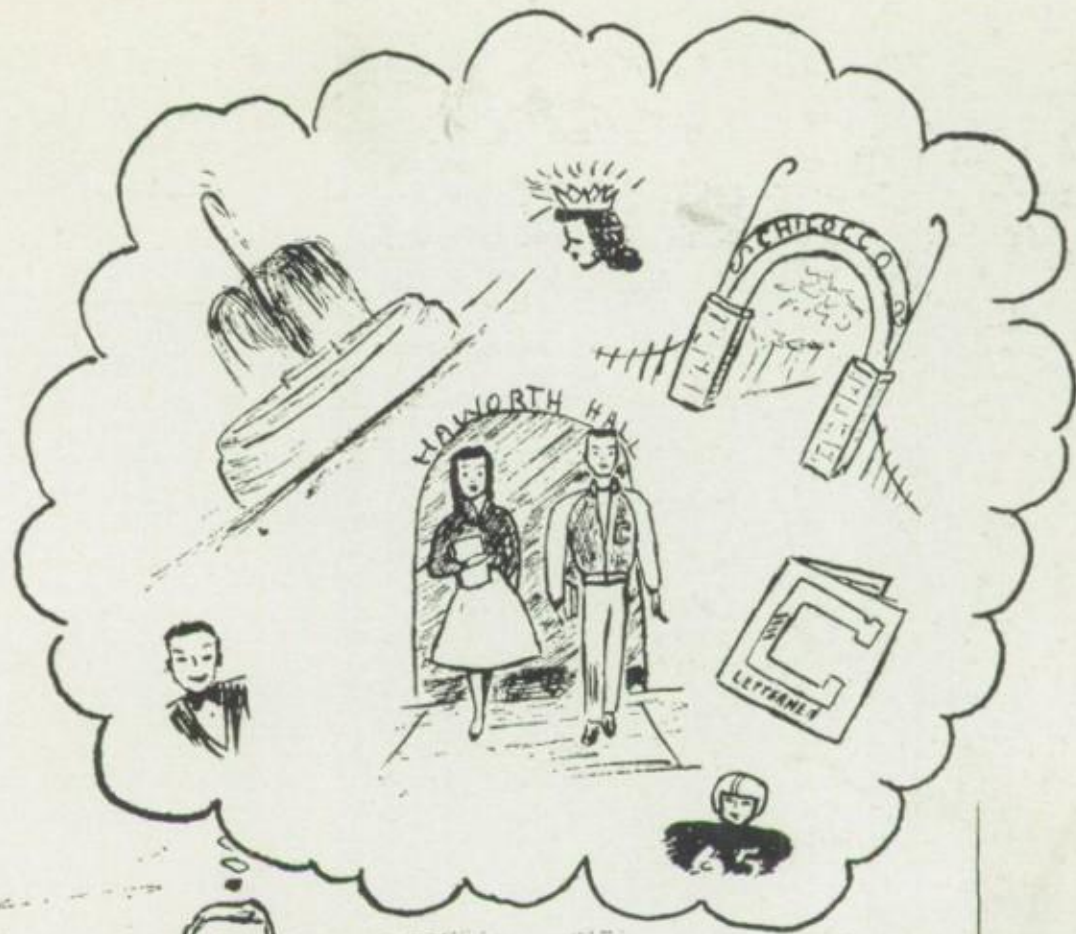
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# FOR E WORD





## *In Memoriam*



Mr. Ernest C. Mueller

Mr. Ernest C. Mueller, principal of the Chilocco school since 1944, died December 5 at Chilocco. Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Arkansas City, with burial in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery at Ponca City.

Before coming to Chilocco, Mr. Mueller had served at Riverside School, Anadarko; and at Stewart Indian School, Carson City, Nevada. He entered the Indian Service in 1936. Previous to this, he was head of the Agriculture Department at Cameron College, Lawton.

Mr. Mueller held several major offices in the Kiwanis club and was a member of the Masonic Lodge at Newkirk. He was an active member of the First Methodist Church of Arkansas City.

Mr. Charles H. Laughlin, who spent 11 years of service as chief clerk at Chilocco, died July 14, 1955, in Memorial Hospital, Arkansas City, Kansas. Burial was in Memorial Lawn Cemetery at Arkansas City and included both Masonic and military services.

Mr. Laughlin was active in the Federal Employees' Union, holding major offices in the local and state organizations, and being often a delegate to the national conventions.

He also served as an active member of the American Legion Post in Arkansas City and of the Masonic Lodge in Newkirk.



Mr. Charles H. Laughlin



## *We Dedicate*



Coach Kenneth C. Moore

The senior class has chosen to pay tribute in its dedication of this annual to a former student on the 20th anniversary of his graduation from Chilocco, as well as to an employee who has a great part in moulding the future of our young men.

Mr. Kenneth Moore, instructor of physical education, is a member of the Creek Indian tribe, and attended Euchee Indian school before enrolling at Chilocco. While a student here he participated in football, basketball, baseball and was a member of the National

Guard, Aggie club, and president of the Student Council.

After leaving Chilocco he attended Oklahoma A and M college, Stillwater, and received both his Bachelor and Master's degrees from that institution.

Because of his high ideals for good sportsmanship, friendliness, his loyalty to Chilocco and the students, the Senior Class takes pleasure in making this dedication.



## *Greetings from the Commissioner*



Mr. Glenn L. Emmons, Commissioner,  
Bureau of Indian Affairs

To the Students of the Chilocco School:

It is with very great pleasure that my congratulations go to the class of 1956.

The guidance and companionship you have enjoyed at school can follow you only so far as you would wish them to; the knowledge and skills you have acquired are yours forever.

All will be useful to you in the adult responsibilities you will meet. My earnest hope and belief are that you will use them well and proudly, as befit your Indian heritage and your American citizenship.

Best wishes and heartiest congratulations to each of you!

Sincerely yours,  
Glenn L. Emmons,  
Commissioner



## *Greetings from the Chief, Branch of Education*



Mrs. Hildegard Thompson, Chief,  
Branch of Education

When you went from home to your first day in school, you took one of the greatest steps in your entire lifetime. You were a little child and your whole world was in your home and with your parents. It was a hard step for you to take yet you were successful. You carried with you the truths and the values your home and your parents gave you.

Now you are almost ready to take another important step. Some of you will step into the world of work. Others of you will step into a newer and larger school environment where you will take higher training in the trades or in the professions. Wherever this next step leads, it will cause you to break your close ties to Chilocco. You will be away from many of your classmates and from the protective interests of the school employees.

You will be on your own but you will not be alone if you take the truths and the values you have learned at Chilocco. You must choose how to use them. If your teachers and I could choose for you, as we cannot, we would have your course through life bordered on the north by duty, on the south by honor, on the west by truth, and on the east by faith. That these values may give direction to your future is my sincerest wish for each of you.

Congratulations on the successful completion of your high school course.

Hildegard Thompson, Chief,  
Branch of Education



## *Chilocco's Friend*



Mr. L. E. Correll—retired as superintendent March 31

The "Spirit of Chilocco"  
So often spoken of,  
Is prompted by the spirit  
Of a man whom we all love.  
He loves his job, he loves his school,  
He loves each busy worker;

He's interested in all we do,  
Can sometimes excuse the shirker,  
For he has the warmth and the feeling  
Which enable him to see  
Our problems which he understands  
And ever our friend will be.



Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Correll at  
his birthday party.



Guests at the speakers' table,  
Recognition Dinner, April 4.



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## *Greetings from the Superintendent*



Mr. W. Keith Kelley, Superintendent

### Graduates of 1956:

We commend you for the persistence and effort which completion of your training at Chilocco represents. In doing so, we must recognize also the inspiration and encouragement you and many graduates who have preceded you have received from L. E. Correll, retired superintendent. His influence will flourish as you join the alumni of this great school and make good use of the knowledge and skill you have acquired.

Your happiness and success in meeting the problems which will confront you as you live and work in the world of today will depend upon you—on your enthusiasm, determination, energy, and your willingness to apply those qualities to your work.

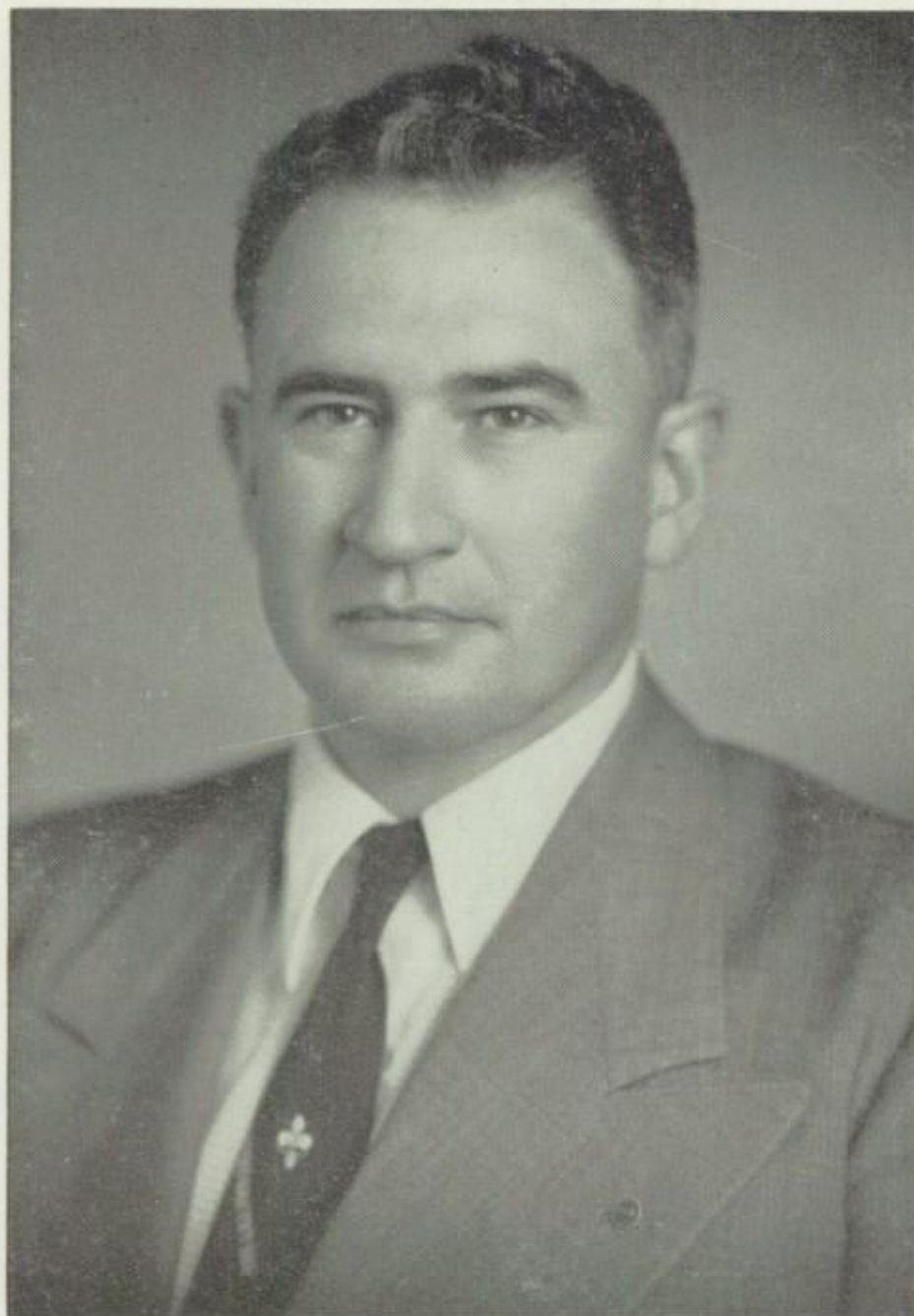
We urge you to be loyal to the ideals of the school and to cherish the traditions Chilocco has given you. We are confident you will do your part in meeting the obligations that rest on all who value the freedom we possess. We would have you choose your friends with care, use your leisure time wisely, and take pride in doing your job well. We hope you find satisfaction and happiness in meeting successfully the challenges that come to citizens in a democracy.

Our very best wishes go with you.

W. Keith Kelley,  
Superintendent



## *Greetings from the Principal*



Mr. Leon Wall, Principal

Greetings, Class of 1956:

Please accept my heartiest congratulations. You have reached a very important milestone in your life. This has been attained by ability, hard work, and unswerving persistence.

Many times along this high school road, you may have asked yourself, "Is it worth it?" Even though your answer apparently was always in the affirmative, I imagine that many times you were dubious and had difficulty in disciplining yourself to accept that answer. Now I know that you are not sorry you "stuck it out".

You now have that long-sought reward, a high school diploma. With this diploma you have a new title—a high school graduate. No doubt you also have many other honors gained in high school. Perhaps you take with you valuable knowledge of a skilled trade. An important instrument you have is the key to college or to more advanced training.

You have accomplished much in the journey of life. You must now decide in what direction to place your accomplishments. People can advise you but the final decision is up to you. Not only must you make the decision but also you must live with this decision in years to come.

You will be faced with these questions: Should I go to college? Should I take other advanced training? Should I get a job? The decision you make will be important to you every day you live. You will look back many times to your decision at this milestone, your high school graduation. My heartfelt wish is that, whatever your decision is, it will be the right one for you. My most sincere wishes go with each of you as you leave Chilocco.

Leon Wall,  
Principal



## Government Dispatchers



Mr. George H. Roberts, Jr.  
Chief Clerk



Mr. Hugh F. Huston,  
Property and Supply Clerk



Mr. Claude Hayman,  
Fiscal Accounting Clerk



Miss Susan Horsechief,  
Clerk-Typist

The over-all education program of the school is administered through the Main Office.

Money is a necessary ingredient in any program. Nothing can be done without money to pay for salaries and equipment; therefore, each year the financial plans for the complete operation of the school are submitted to Congress. There these plans are evaluated and money is appropriated for those the Congress thinks are worthwhile. After the money is received, accurate accounting records must be kept. This is a way of keeping track of our money and making sure it is spent legally, and according to the program plan.



Mrs. Hazel Joice,  
Clerk



Mr. Carriasco McGilbra,  
Storekeeper

Anything the school needs in the way of housing, feeding, equipment, supplies, and transportation, is purchased and procured by our Main Office personnel. When supplies are received, they are warehoused and issued to the different departments as needed.

Administrative direction is given to personnel management of the school. Employees are kept informed as to Civil Service Commission regulations and the Area and Bureau standards and policies. Personnel records on service, leave, time, and attendance are maintained here and kept up to date.



Mrs. Susie Byrd,  
Secretary to the  
Superintendent



Mr. Wylie Chuculate,  
Guard



Mrs. Bobbie Burris,  
Secretary to the Principal



Mr. Hobart Foster,  
Guard





Members of the Navajo Tribal Council visit Mr. Correll and Mr. Kelley. Seated are John Perry, James Becenti and Howard McKinley.



The Superintendent's secretary handles the correspondence as well as numerous other office details.



Susan Horsechief is asking for price quotations.



Most of the employees know Mr. Hayman as "pay roll clerk."



Mr. Roberts and Mr. Huston go into consultation on one of the many government problems that arise during the day.



Mrs. Hazel Joice is preparing some home letters for the Special Navajo Department.



## Area Director of Public Health



Dr. Joseph S. Wawro, Area Director  
of Dental Health

Dr. Wawro is responsible for all oral health activity in the Oklahoma area, as well as being the full-time dental officer at Chilocco.

His duties include giving dental services to all students at Chilocco. Emergency treatment is administered at the early morning hours, with regular appointments afterwards as needed. Fillings, extractions, and some x-rays and prosthesis are done on a limited scale. Sodium fluoride treatments were given during the year to students within the age bracket.

Miss Cornelia Isaac, dental health assistant, makes appointments and helps to administer dental care at Chilocco.



Raymond Ramon is having his teeth cleaned by the Fluoridation team, Miss Delores McLaughlin and Miss Evelyn Hollowell.



Miss McLaughlin is cleaning  
Luke Austin's teeth.



Miss Cornelia Isaac



Dr. Wawro gives a shot to Judith Hale before pulling a tooth. He is assisted by Miss Isaac.



A patient is having her teeth checked.



## Preservers of Health



Mrs. Carrie Jones,  
Staff Nurse



Miss Aagot M. Knudsen,  
Head Nurse



Mrs. Eleanor Snell,  
X-Ray Technician

The Chilocco School Infirmary has a contract with 13 doctors of The Arkansas City Medical Society, who render medical care to the students; also a contract with The Arkansas City Memorial Hospital for medical and surgical services when needed.

Since July 1, 1955, the Chilocco School Infirmary has been transferred as a branch of Indian Health to the jurisdiction of United States Public Health, with headquarters in Oklahoma City.

The Chilocco School Infirmary has two daily clinics for routine treatments and minor

injuries. Two graduate nurses and an assistant aid the doctors in their work.

Emphasis is placed on the preventive aspect of medicine; hence thorough physical examinations are given yearly, including a complete x-ray survey early in September with Wasserman tests and refraction for glasses following.

At regular intervals the students are vaccinated for small-pox and inoculated against typhoid fever.

First aid kits are furnished all homes and vocational departments.



Dennis James and Marshall Colbert are having their temperature taken by Mrs. Jones.



Miss Knudsen is taking a patient's pulse.





Consumer education class watches a film in Mrs. Hayman's classroom.



The juniors are taking speed drills in typing.



Miss Walker's English students are reading the Senior Scholastic for assignment.



Joyce McCann and Tommy Hathcoat are studying about insects in biology class.



Carol Thorpe is taking the depth perception test in drivers' education.



Mr. Adams helps Carol Fife with her geometry assignment.

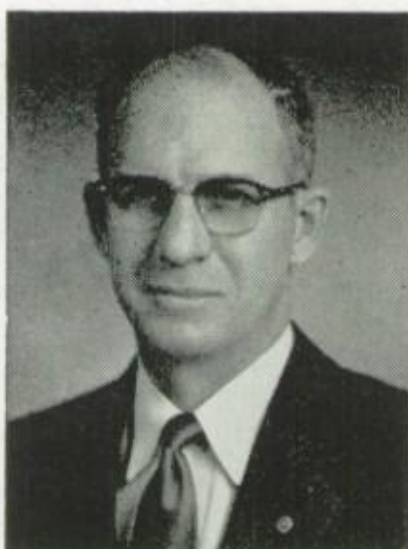


# ACADEMIC





## *Department Head, Academic*



Mr. Jack McCarty,  
Department Head of  
Academic

May we congratulate you Seniors upon the achievement of the objective you have pursued the past four years—your graduation from high school. You have indeed been fortunate in having the best of instructors and instructions. We hope you will apply the knowledge and skills you have received and

use them to help you become self-reliant and self-respecting individuals in the communities in which you choose to live.

May each of you share in the success you deserve.



Mr. McCarty presides at a regular weekly meeting with his staff.



## *We Hope We've Given a Good Performance*



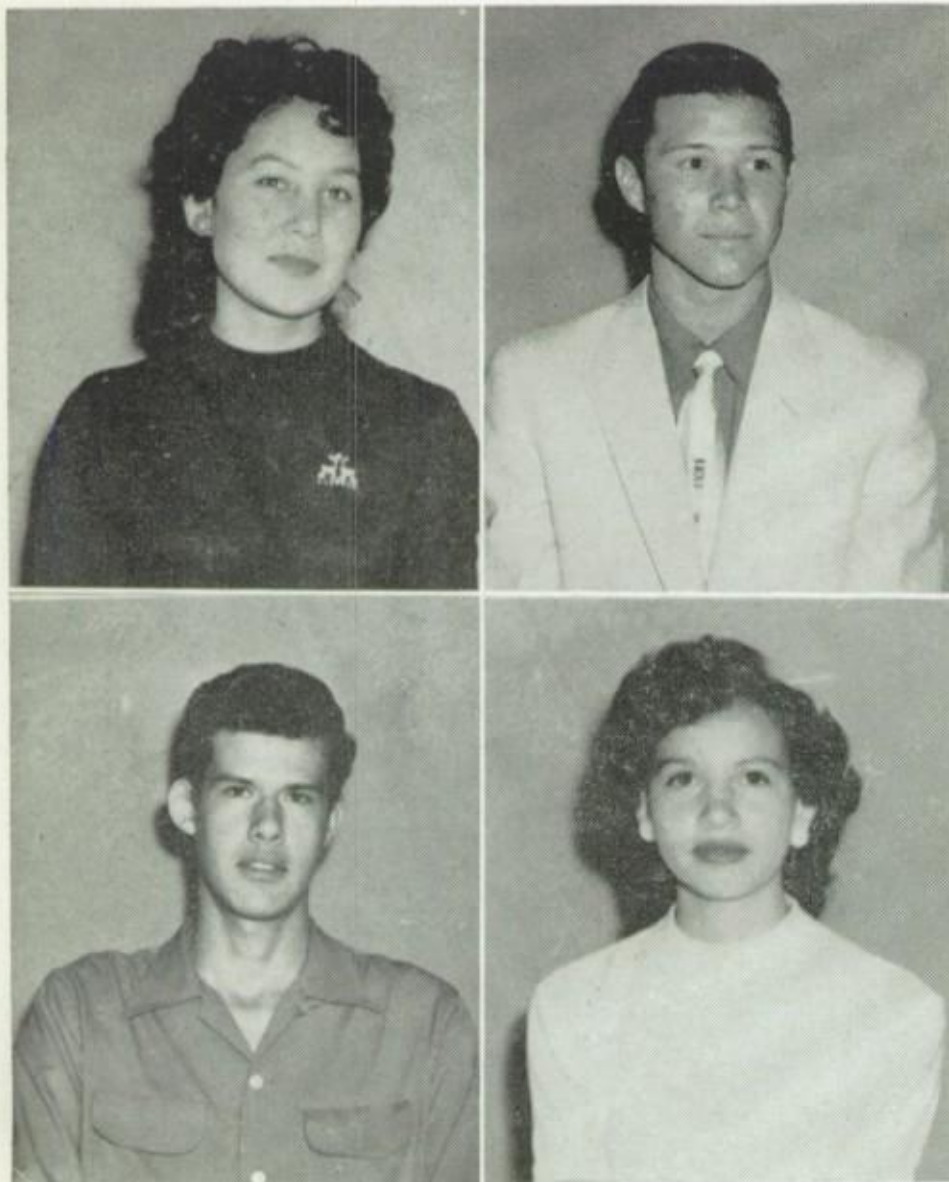
Senior Class officers: president, **Wisdom Nibbs**; vice president, **Robert Whitekiller**; secretary-treasurer, **Betty Jean Brown**; sergeant-at-arms, **Dennis James**. Sponsors, **Miss Mabel Walker**; **Mr. Leonard Hathcoat**.

Class motto: *We have set sail; where do we anchor?*

Class colors: Maroon and gold.

Class flower: Sweet Pea.





**Sue Albert, Creek—Henryetta.** Home economics. Twirling club; Vice president, Merry Homemakers. 2-4.

**Ben Franklin Allen, Euchee—Wichita, Kansas.** Plumbing. Trades club; Plumbing club; Choir; Boys' Chorus; Explorer Scouts; National Guard, Company "C"; Student Council; Honor Society, 4 years; Honorary member, Student Council. 1-2-3-4.

**James G. Allen, Chickasaw—Clarita.** Agriculture. 4-H; National Guard, Co. "C"; 3-4.

**Lee Ella Arpoika, Creek—Oklahoma City.** Weaving. Indian Dramatics Club; Choir; President, Pep club. 2-3-4.

**Jean Birdshead, Arapaho—Canton.** Weaving. Secretary-treasurer, Indian Dramatics; Reporter, Merry Homemakers. 2-3-4.

**Theodosia Birdshead, Arapaho—Denver, Colorado.** Cafe management. Journalism club; Future Homemakers of America; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*. 3-4.

**Shawn Bradley, Cherokee—Duncan.** Printing. Choir; Boys' Chorus; Track; Wrestling; National Guard, Co. "C". 3-4.

**Betty Jean Brown, Creek—Henryetta.** Home economics. Journalism club; Sub-Deb; Band; Business Manager, Journalism club; Secretary-treasurer, Senior class; Honor Society; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*; Group Leader, 1 year. 2-3-4.



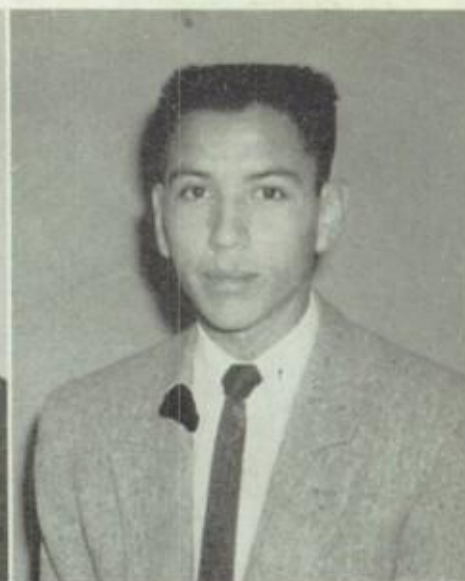


**Jimmie Brown, Creek—Henryetta.** Printing. Journalism club; Type Tusslers club; Band; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*; Student Council; Honor Society; National Guard, Co. "C"; Group Leader, 2 years. 2-3-4.

**Johnny Bruner, Creek-Seminole—Holdenville.** Dry cleaning and pressing. Band; Dance Band; Cleaning and Pressing club; Student Council; Sgt.-at-arms, Junior class; Football, Basketball, 2 years; 2-3-4.

**Lawrine Lowe Bullock, Alabama—Livingston, Texas.** Home economics. Jr. Red Cross; 4-H club; Choir; Sextet; Head Group Leader, 3 years. 1-2-3-4.

**Rosie Marie Buzzard, Cherokee—Arkansas City, Kansas.** Cafe management. Sub-Deb; Vice-president, Jr. Red Cross. 1-2-3-4.



**Wyneatta Carey, Cherokee—Hulbert.** Pre-nursing, home economics. Choir; Secretary-treasurer, Jr. Red Cross; Sgt.-at-arms, Merry Homemakers. 1-2-3-4.

**George Carpenter, Chickasaw—Coalgate.** Blacksmith and welding. Secretary and Treasurer, Welders' Club; Football, Baseball; National Guard, Co. "C". 2-3-4.

**Addie Lee Cerre, Ponca—Ponca City.** Home economics. Band; Dance Band; Saxophone Quartet; Indian Dramatics, 3 years; 4-H club, 4 years; Silver Key club; Vice president, Freshman class; Group Leader, 3 years; Honor Society; President, 4-H club; Student Council. 1-2-3-4.

**Lyman Choate, Choctaw—Finley.** Dry cleaning and pressing. Lettermen's club; Dry Cleaning club; President, Journalism club; Track, 3 years; Sports editor, *Indian School Journal*, '55-56; Sports editor, *Chiloccoan*, '56. 1-2-3-4.





**Ophelia Clark, Ponca-Omaha**—Ponca City. Home economics. Yupka Chuka Ikbi; Indian Dramatics club 3 years; Choir, 2 years; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*. 2-3-4.

**Marshall Colbert, Choctaw**—Oklahoma City. Printing. Secretary-treasurer, Lettermen's club; Journalism club; Editor-in-chief, *Indian School Journal*; Honor Society; Student Council, '54-55. 1-2-3-4.

**Jennie Collier, Cherokee**—Claremore. Pre-nursing, home economics. Game leader, 4-H club; Band. 1-2-3-4.

**Charley Compton, Cherokee**—Muskogee. Power plant operation. Football, Track; Lettermen's club. 3-4.

**Bruce Donahue, Papago**—Inglewood, California. Auto mechanics. Lettermen's club; Reporter, '53-54, President, '54-55, Secretary-treasurer, '55-56—of Auto Mechanics club. 1-2-3-4.

**Ezra T. Fields, Jr., Pawnee**—Arkansas City, Kansas. Carpentry. Boys' Chorus; Choir; Indian Dramatics club; Trades club; Senior play. 3-4.

**Ollie Foster, Cherokee**—Kansas, Oklahoma. Cosmetology. Choir; Sub-Deb club; Honorary member, Student Council; Miss Chilocco, '56. 1-2-3-4.

**Gaylon Randall Franklin, Sac and Fox**—Shawnee. Carpentry. Vice president, Trades club; Choir; Boys' chorus. 2-3-4.



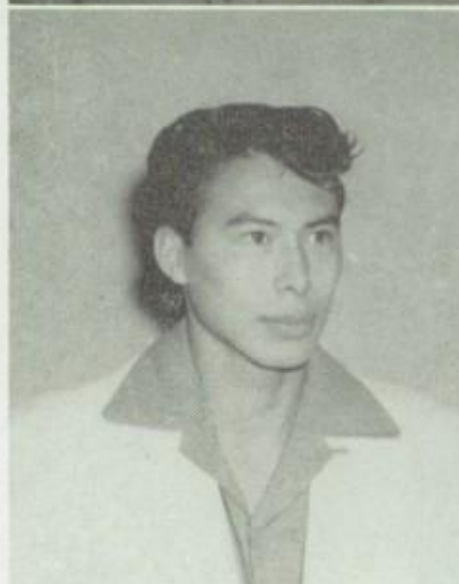


**Dennis James, Shawnee**—Tulsa. Printing. Make-up editor, *Indian School Journal*; Football; Track; Baseball; Type Tusslers' club; Lettermen's club; Sgt.-at-arms, Senior class; Home Six representative, Student Council; Reporter, Council; Miss Chilocco's escort, '56. 3-4.

**Wonder Johns, Seminole**—Brighton, Florida. Auto mechanics. Football; Lettermen's club; Recorder, Royal Ambassadors Chapter; Baptist Training Union, senior group leader; President, Trades club. 2-3-4.

**Frank Johnson, Creek-Seminole**—Oakhurst. Auto mechanics. Basketball; National Guard, Co. "C"; Lettermen's club. 2-3-4.

**Lena Lucille Kelley, Creek**—Sapulpa. Cafe management. Secretary, Future Homemakers of America. 2-3-4.



**Merlin Kennedy, Seneca**—Versailles, New York. Auto mechanics. Aggie club; 4-H club; National Guard, Co. "C". 1-2-3-4.

**Georgia Etta Levi, Cheyenne-Arapaho**—Geary. Cafe management. Future Homemakers of America. 3-4.

**Maxine Little, Cherokee**—Borger, Texas. General home economics. Student Council, 2 years; Choir, Sextet, Double Quartet; Honor Society; Secretary, Sunday School; Journalism club; picture committee, and Navajo committee chairman, *Chiloccoan*; Future Homemakers of America; Associate editor, *Indian School Journal*; Prom Queen, '54-55; National Guard Sweetheart attendant, '54-55. 2-3-4.

**Ruby Manus, Cherokee**—Tahlequah. Cafe management. Merry Homemakers club; Silver Key club; Group leader. 1/2 2-3-4.







**Leah Matheson, Ute-Cherokee**—Fort Duchesne, Utah. Cosmetology, Animal husbandry. Aggie club. 2-3-4.

**Simeon A. McCarty, Chickasaw**—Phoenix, Arizona. Baking. Band; Dance Band; Student Council; President, Junior class; Honor Society, '53-54; Baking club. 1-2-3-4.



**Dannie Bruce McCosar, Creek**—Holdenville. Auto mechanics. Band; Honor Society; Firemen's club; Auto Mechanics club; Science club, '52-53. 1-2-3-4.

**Virginia Alice McDonald, Ponca**—Hominy. Cosmetology. Band, 4 years; Twirlers' club; Girls' Auxiliary; Secretary, Baptist group. 1-2-3-4.

**Ida McElhaney, Cherokee**—Porum. General home economics. Choir; Merry Homemakers' club; Jr. Red Cross; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*; Journalism club; typing committee chairman, 1956 *Chiloccoan*; Honor Society. 3-4.

**Madeline Meely, Choctaw**—Oklahoma City. Cosmetology. Future Homemakers of America; Jr. Red Cross; Pep club. 1-2-3-4.

**Leland C. Mendez, Papago-Paiute**—Sells, Arizona. Auto mechanics. Auto Mechanics club. 1-2-3-4.

**Jeanette Pearl Miller, Seminole**—Seminole. Cafe management. Merry Homemakers' club; Jr. Red Cross. 1-2-3-4.





**Martha Lee Miller, Seminole**—Seminole. General home economics. President, Merry Homemakers club. 1-2-3-4.

**Kathryn Mitchell, Creek-Chickasaw**—Eufaula. Pre-nursing, home economics. Band; Dance Band; Silver Key club; Vice president, 4-H club. 1-½ 2-3-4.

**Claudette Mary Moore, Otoe**—Enid. Pre-nursing, home economics. Band, 3½ years; Student Council, 2; Group leader; 4-H club; Silver Key club; Secretary of class 3 years; Campus Princess; Prom Queen attendant; Honor Society 3 years. 1-2-3-4.

**Johnny Morris, Choctaw**—Hugo. Agriculture. Football, Track letterman; Senior play; Vice president, Lettermen's club; Captain, football team; Grand champion, Aggie Stock show; All-Conference football; Honor Society 2 years; Sgt., National Guard, Co. "C"; Group leader, Home Six; Honorary member, Student Council; Silver Key club; 4-H club. 1-2-3-4.



**Kenneth Murie, Pawnee**—Pawnee. Painting. President, Paint Shop club; Choir; Indian Dramatics club; Head house officer, Home Six; Operetta, '54-55. 2-3-4.

**Zora Nelson, Chickasaw**—Ada. Cafe management. Choir. 3-4.

**Timothy Gordon Nibbs, Cheyenne**—Clinton. Printing. Choir; Boys' chorus; President, Indian Dramatics club; Type Tusslers' club; Head group leader, '55-56; Baptist Training Union leader; Royal Ambassadors; National Guard, Co. "C". 3-4.

**Wisdom Alan Nibbs, Cheyenne**—Clinton. Auto mechanics. Football; Baseball; Indian Dramatics club; Vice president, Choir; Student Council; Student Activity Board member; President, Senior class; Auto Mechanics club; National Guard, Co. "C", 2-3-4.



**Patricia Peacock, Shawnee**—Miami. Weaving. Choir; Secretary-treasurer '53-54, Vice president '55-56, Arts and Crafts club; Honor Society, 2 years; Football Queen, '54; Posture contest winner, '54; Society editor, *Indian School Journal*; Editor, 1956 *Chiloccoan*. 2-3-4.

**Joe Roberts, Choctaw**—Hugo. Power plant operation. Track; National Guard, Co. "C"; Trades club; Lettermen's club. 1-2-3-4.

**David H. Sixkiller, Cherokee**—Watts. Printing. Choir; Boys' Chorus; Manager, Wrestling; Type Tussler's club; Associate editor, 1956 *Chiloccoan*; Honor Society; President, Baptist Training Union; Ass't supt., Sunday School. 1-2-3-4.

**James Skinner, Cherokee**—Tahlequah. Carpentry. Trades club; President, Explorer Scouts; Honor Society, 3 years. 2-3-4.



**Helen Louise Sloan, Shawnee**—Norman. General home economics. Merry Homemakers' Club; Museum and Guides club. 3-4.

**Hazel Stephens, Choctaw**—Union, Mississippi. Pre-nursing, home economics. Arts and Crafts club; Indian Dramatics club. 3-4.

**David Thompson, Apache**—San Carlos, Arizona. Agriculture. Aggie Club; Secretary-treasurer, 4-H club; Cpl., National Guard, Co. "C"; First place winner sophomore year and second place winner junior year, Chilocco Livestock show. 2-3-4.

**Carol Sue Thorpe, Sac and Fox-Pottawatomie**—Shawnee. General home economics. Jr. Red Cross; Future Homemakers of America. 2-3-4.





**Shirley Ann Tiger, Creek-Seminole**—Holdenville. Weaving. Choir; Pep club; Head cheer leader, '55-56; Indian Dramatics club; Journalism club; President, Arts and Crafts club; Football Queen attendant, '54; First place winner, posture contest, '54-55; Reporter, *Indian School Journal*; Typing committee chairman, 1956 *Chiloccoan*. 1-2-3-4.



**Carol Nadine Tims, Chickasaw-Choctaw**—Oklahoma City. Cafe management. Band; Future Homemakers of America; Jr. Red Cross. 1-2-3-4.

**Marceline Tippiconnie, Comanche-Kiowa**—Lawton. Cafe management. Indian Dramatics club. 3-4.



**Harold L. Tyner, Cherokee**—Tulsa. Carpentry. National Guard, Co. "C"; Vice president, Explorer Scouts; Trades club; Vice president, Carpentry club; Honor Society, 2 years. 2-3-4.



**Wesley Lee Vann, Chickasaw**—Shidler. Power plant operation. Trades club. 1-2-3-4.

**Burney Waldon, Chickasaw**—Vinita. Blacksmith-welding. Football, Basketball; Lettermen's club; President, Welders' club; National Guard, Company "C". 1-2-3-4.



**Charlotte Warrior, Ponca**—Ponca City. Cosmetology. Pep club; cheer leader; Future Homemakers of America; Journalism club; President, Choir; Girls' Sextet; Soloist, operetta. 1-2-3-4.

**Dru Ella Welch, Cherokee**—Tulsa. Cafe management. Band, 4 years; Jr. Red Cross; 4-H club, 4 years; Honor Society. 1-2-3-4.





**Shirley Ann Wheeler, Mohawk**—Hogansburg, New York. Cafe management. Choir; Pep club; Cheer leader. 2-3-4.

**Robert Whitekiller, Cherokee**—Tulsa. Dry cleaning and pressing. Football, Basketball, Baseball; Lettermen's club; Trades club; Vice president, Senior class; President, Student Council, '55-56; Honor Society, 3 years; Boys' club editor, *Indian School Journal*; National Guard, Co. "C". 2-3-4.



**Marcy Lee Whiteshield, Cheyenne**—Elk City. General home economics. Band; Indian Dramatics club. 1-2-3-4.

**Anna Lou Willis, Chickasaw**—Marietta. Cosmetology. Choir; Future Homemakers of America; President, Jr. Red Cross; Secretary, Student Council; Honor Society; Senior play. 1-2-3-4.

**Leon England, Cherokee**—Chilocco. Did not graduate. Enlisted in Navy.

**Ralph Grass, Cherokee**—  
Did not graduate. Enlisted in Navy.





The Mighty Seniors of 1956! Not much needs to be said about this class; the record speaks for them.

When this class first started as Freshmen, they were quite outstanding in athletics. They were also tops in academic work.

As Sophomores, the class ranked high again, winning both play days, and the class intramurals. Two girls were bestowed individual honors: Campus Princess, Heawatha Collier; and the Annual Posture Contest, Pat Peacock. Not forgetting the academic work, the Sophomores controlled the honor roll and the Honor Society. The boys won the intramural contests in their Sophomore year.

The 1954-55 year was another great year for the class, as they started it off by winning their consecutive play day. More honors again as Juniors were Drum Major, Fern Harris; Campus Princess, Claudette Moore; Football Queen, Pat Peacock; and the Annual Posture Contest, Shirley Tiger; and runner-up, Fern Harris. Robert Whitekiller captured the honor of basketball captain and the girls also won

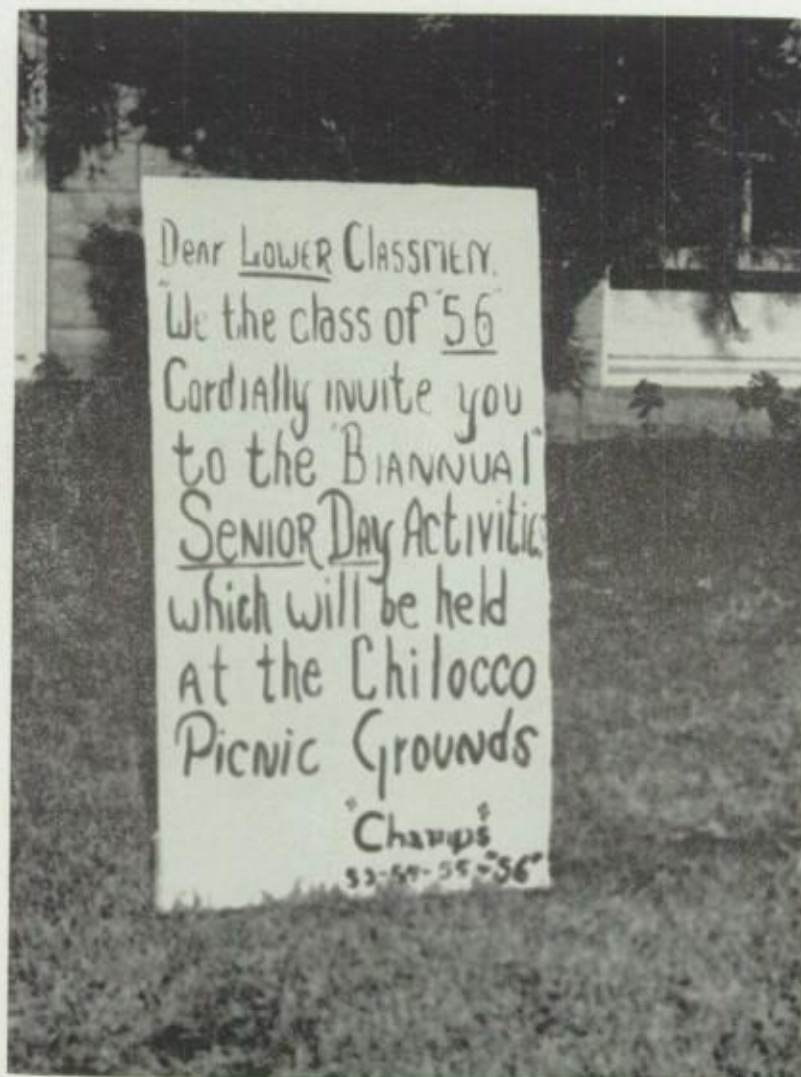
the three class intramurals. Regarding the academic achievements, the Juniors still predominated the honor roll and at the top! They also held all the offices in the Honor Society.

This year the class started, as usual, by winning the fall play day. This tied the record with the class of 1953, having five straight consecutive victories.

Honors again, as seniors: Drum Major, Fern Harris; Football Queen, Reba Homeratha; football captains, Robert Hale, and Johnny Morris. Robert Hale and Johnny Morris were also elected to the All-Conference, second team. Robert Hale was also elected co-captain for the wrestling squad.

Again this year, Robert Whitekiller was elected basketball captain; T. J. Frazier was given the honor of being the Most Inspirational Player, by the local Lions' Club.

This class has shown that its members are certainly ready to go out and become the well-rounded citizens of their communities.







**MOST POPULAR**  
Maxine Little and Robert Whitekiller



**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED**  
Addie Cerre and Wisdom Nibbs



**MOST STUDIOUS**  
Anna Lou Willis and Ben Allen



*Who*



**MOST ATHLETIC**  
Dru Ella Welch and Robert Hale



**CUTEST**  
Pat Peacock and Johnny Bruner



**FRIENDLIEST**  
Lena Kelly and Dennis James



## *Come Next Spring*



Junior Class officers: president, **Cecil Johns**; vice president, **Charles Stephens**; secretary-treasurer, **Faith Carol Jacobs**; sergeant-at-arms, **Homer Snell**. Sponsors, **Mrs. Vivian Hayman**; **Mr. Lawrence Henderson**; **Mr. Irvin Garrison**.

Class motto: *By courage and faith we will succeed.*

Class colors: Maroon and white.

Class flower: Rose.



**Deloris Alexander, Chickasaw—**  
Ravia. Home economics.

**Don Anderson, Choctaw—Stigler.**  
Baking.

**Lois Battiest, Choctaw—Broken**  
Bow. Home economics.

**Presley Battiest, Choctaw—**  
Wright City. Leathercraft.

**Webster Bearbow, Sac and Fox—**  
Cheyenne—Avery. Auto mech-  
anics.

**Beulah Benton, Chickasaw—Tish-**  
omingo. Home economics.

Not pictured, **Dorman Benn, Choc-**  
taw—Mendota, California. Agri-  
culture.



**Charlotte Blacksmith, Sioux-**  
Kickapoo—Wichita, Kansas. Home  
economics.

**Larry Brown, Sac and Fox—**  
Wichita, Kansas. Blacksmith-  
welding.

**Marie Brown, Osage-Pueblo—**  
Hominy. Home economics.

**Maggie Bruner, Creek—Oklahoma**  
City. Cosmetology.

**Billie Bea Bryant, Cherokee—Sal-**  
ina. Home economics.

**Robert Buzzard, Cherokee—Ark-**  
ansas City, Kansas. Blacksmith-  
welding.







**Bob Carpenter, Pawnee**—Pawnee.  
Power plant operation.

**LeRoy Cass, Osage**—Pawhuska.  
Agriculture.

**Phillip Childers, Creek-Cherokee**  
—Madison, Indiana. Carpentry.

**Marsey Coonhead, Creek**—Sapul-  
pa. Agriculture.

**Albert Cravatt, Chickasaw**—  
Auto mechanics.

**Esloney Culley, Seminole**—Kon-  
awa. Auto mechanics.

**Bernice DeRoin, Iowa-Osage**—  
Sioux—Hominy. Home economics.

**Cleve DeRoin, Otoe**—Enid. Paint-  
ing.

**George Dick, Shawnee**—Vinita.  
Printing.

**Dixon Dyer, Choctaw**—Stigler.  
Cleaning and Pressing.

**Kenneth Ellis, Creek**—Tulsa.  
Leathercraft.

**Keith Franklin, Sac and Fox**—  
Shawnee. Baking.





**Bernice Harjo, Creek-Seminole—**  
Home economics.

**Marvin Garcia, Papago—Sells,**  
Arizona. Leathercraft.

**Cecelia Freeman, Creek—Tulsa.**  
Home economics.

**Arthur Hill, Cheyenne—Hammon.**  
Printing.

**Mary Holahta, Creek—Okemah.**  
Holdenville. Home economics.

**Donna Kay Hopper, Cherokee—**  
Salina. Home economics.



**Elmer Perry Horne, Cherokee—**  
Muldrow. Auto mechanics.

**Shirley Ray Howerton, Seneca—**  
Wyandotte. Home economics.

**Theresa Isaac, Choctaw—Phila-**  
delphia, Mississippi. Home eco-  
nomics.

**Tecumseh Jackson, Creek—We-**  
tumka. Leathercraft.

**Faith Carol Jacobs, Creek—Che-**  
cotah. Home economics.

**Alfred Jimmerson, Seneca—Sala-**  
manca, New York. Laundry.





**Cecil John, Seminole**—Okeechobee, Florida. Auto mechanics.

**Doris Johnson, Chickasaw**—Allen. Home economics.

**Glen Johnson, Chickasaw**—Allen. Printing.

**Rosie Lee Johnson, Creek-Cherokee**—Calvin. Pre-nursing, home economics.

**Armetta Jones, Creek-Seminole**—Ada. Home economics.

**Arnetta Jones, Creek-Seminole**—Ada. Cafe management, home economics.

**Cornelia Jones, Ponca**—Ponca City. Home economics.

**Sauce July, Creek**—Checotah. Blacksmith-welding.

**Unich Keener, Cherokee**—Hulbert. Carpentry.

**Gerald Kekahbah, Kaw**—Pawhuska. Dry Cleaning and Pressing.

**Daggie Ketcher, Cherokee**—Stillwell. Home economics.

**Emily King, Creek**—Henryetta. Cosmetology.





**John Wayne King, Ponca**—Ponca City. Bakery.

**Tommy Lacher, Chickasaw**—Maddill. Leathercraft.

**Anthony Lee, Navajo**—Lukachukai, Arizona. Printing.

**Albert Lieb, Omaha-Ponca**—Ponca City. Carpentry.

**Delores Little, Cherokee**—Borger, Texas. Home economics.

**LeRoy McDermott, Creek**—Henryetta. Printing.



**Harold McDonald, Choctaw**—Sulphur. Bakery.

**Louis McIntosh, Creek**—Eufaula. Blacksmith-welding.

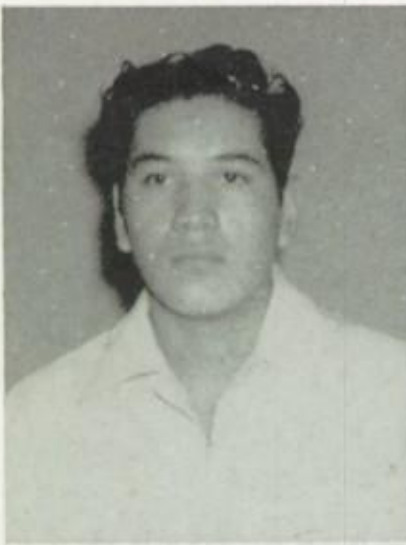
**Doris Ann McLemore, Cherokee**—Tulsa. Home economics.

**Raymond McLemore, Cherokee**—Pawhuska. Printing.

**Marcia McNoise, Ponca**—Ponca City. Home economics.

**Weldon Mahone, Hualapai**—Peach Springs, Arizona. Blacksmith-welding.





**Robert Ninham, Seneca**—Buffalo, New York. Agriculture.

**Raymond Parker, Kaw**—Wichita, Kansas. Printing.

**Wynema Parton, Caddo**—Anadarko. Home economics.



**Roy Lee Phillips, Choctaw**—Philadelphia, Mississippi. Agriculture.

**Beverley Powless, Onondaga-  
Oneida**—Buffalo, New York. Home economics.

**Bill Pratt, Arapaho**—Canton. Auto mechanics.

**Clarence Marcus, Papago**—Sells, Arizona. Blacksmith-welding.

**Georgie Masquat, Sac and Fox-  
Cheyenne-Arapaho** — Avery. Home economics.

**Gertrude Miller, Choctaw**—Oklahoma City. Home economics.

**Jacob Morris, Choctaw**—Stigler. Auto mechanics.

**Peggy Munoz, Cherokee**—Bartlesville. Home economics.

**Henry Nedd, Choctaw**—Maysville. Auto mechanics.





**Kenneth Punley, Wichita**—Grace-mont. Auto mechanics.

**Gordon Roy, Ponca**—Oklahoma City. Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Bob Sala, Creek**—Paden. Bakery.

**Lawrence Smith, Wichita**—Ana-darko. Printing.

**Homer Snell, Cherokee-Seneca**—Anderson, Missouri. Carpentry.

**Charles Stephens, Wichita**—Ana-darko. Auto mechanics.



**Archie Stephenson, Wichita**—Oklahoma City. Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Novaline Tarleton, Ponca**—Ponca City. Home economics.

**Gerald Thomas, Shawnee-Delaware**—Sperry. Printing.

Not pictured, **James Thomas, Shawnee-Delaware**—Tulsa. Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Raymond Thompson, Seneca**—Gowanda, New York. Carpentry.

**Francis Tiger, Creek-Shawnee**—Wichita, Kansas. Power plant operation.

**Wanna Tims, Chickasaw-Choctaw**—Oklahoma City. Home economics.





**Mileah Toney, Creek—Muskogee.**  
Home economics.

**Roland Tsatoke, Kiowa—Apache.**  
Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Joyce Twoguns, Iowa-Seneca—**  
Stillwater. Home economics.

**Ruth Tyndall, Ponca—Ponca City.**  
Home economics.

**John Thomas Vice, Cherokee—**  
Pawhuska. Blacksmith-welding.

**Clarence Walters, Creek—Okla-**  
homa City. Dry cleaning and  
pressing.

**Virginia Ward, Choctaw—Han-**  
obia. Home economics.

**Gloria Washington, Chickasaw—**  
Oklahoma City. Home economics.

**Virginia Waters, Ponca—Ponca**  
City. Home economics.

**Delano Watt, Cherokee—West-**  
ville. Leathercraft.

**Charles Webber, Cherokee—Gore.**  
Agriculture.

**Ben White, Navajo—St. Michael's,**  
Arizona. Carpentry.





**Carolyn White, Cherokee**—Spavinaw. Home economics.

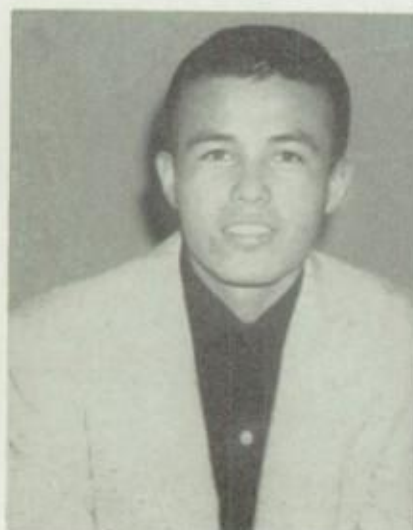
**Gordon Whitetree, Seneca**—Wyandotte. Carpentry.

**Haskell Williams, Cherokee**—Stillwell. Leathercraft.

**Johnny Williams, Ponca**—Ponca City. Printing.

**Neal Williams, Choctaw**—Hobbs, New Mexico. Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Herbert Willie, Choctaw**—Wright City. Dry cleaning and pressing.



**Bobby Wood, Sac and Fox-Seminole**—Shawnee. Dry cleaning and pressing.

**Mary Jane Yeatman, Creek**—Tulsa. Home economics.

**Evelyn York, Choctaw**—Philadelphia, Mississippi. Home economics.



## *Chilocco's Twins—*



John Teehee and Joan Teehee



Armetta Jones and Arnetta Jones

## *With The Classes—*



Biology: Ophelia Clark, Reba Homeratha and Addie Cerre are dissecting a cow's eyeball.



Chemistry: Tecumseh Jackson, Mr. Lawrence Henderson, teacher, and Presley Battiest are working an experiment in the lab.



English: Freshman class: Miss Kay Ahrnken, English Teacher.



American History: Claudette Moore and Mr. Dee L. Gregory, teacher, are looking at a report.



## Away Up in the Clouds



Sophomore Class officers: president, **Cyrus Battiest**; vice president, **Jimmy Wood**; secretary-treasurer, **Carol Fife**; sergeant-at-arms, **Don Ross**; Sponsors, **Mr. David Adams**; **Mr. Dee Gregory**.

Class motto: *Building today for a better tomorrow.*

Class colors: Dark brown and rose

Class flowers: Pink Carnation



Group 10-1

**Front row:** Hubert Bully, Mary Swake, Cora Cavazone, Sally Bailey, Cyrus Battiest, Ella Johnico, Betty Thomas, Lydia Manley, Marguel Bigpond, Joycette Factor, Pauline Vann, Sandra Hendrix, Millicent Maynahonah;

**Second row:** Mary Ann Nelson, Rosa Lee Letka, Lorene Bigeagle, Steven Puella, Chauncy Buffalohead, Mary Jean Scraper, Sara Day, Mary Whitetree, Claudette Geiogamah, Wilma Tanner, Carole Fife, Paula Wilson, Joyce McCann;

**Back row:** Daniel Meeley, Andrew Daniel, George Scott, Wesley Tarloshaw, Benny McDermott, Bill Mathews, Henry Redbone, Don Marland, Reginald Williams, Jimmy Wood, Charles Shico, Elton Stumblingbear.

**Not pictured:** Melvin Taylor, Robert Root.





Group 10-2

**Front row:** Edward Franklin, Jr., Eugene Williams, Jessie Keener, Ella Mae Christie, Esther Fields, Millie Jean Hobia, Lahoma Ned, Mary Helen Boney, Shirley West, Jo Ann McCann, Christine Coachman, Roman Johnson;

**Second row:** Lincoln Vann, Jerry McLemore, John Teehee, Joan Teehee, LaVerne Carpenter, Martha Hinman, Juanita Brown, Lucie Murie, Mildred McLemore, Sandra McKibben, Leslie Harjo, Milford White;

**Back row:** Babe Keams, Charles Parker, Earl Chase, Lloyd Ross, William Burgess, Elton Brown, Jimmy Anderson, Garland Kent, Vincent Warrior, Michael Dennis Jones, Luke Austin, Sidney Schmidt.



Group 10-3

**Front row:** Nancy Tyner, Merrill Ludlow Wynema Foster, Judith Hale, Don Ross, Norma Gibson, Dora Jim, Louise Burris, Joan Sullateskee, Edna Randle, Ernestine Tanyan, Marie Tekubie;

**Second row:** Charley Buckley, Stanley Bush, Nancy Marshall, Linda Levi, Minnie Noon, Faye Austin, Ramona Williams, Lillie Mae Foster, Thelma Ross, Juanita Burgess, Joann Miller, Key Welch, Thurston Primeaux;

**Back row:** Joseph Aitson, Leslie Pahdacony, Joel Davis, Anderson Allen, Donald Pierce, Ed Cook, Jesse LeClair, Roland No Ear, Jesse Grant, Charles McDonald, Jack Schindler, Howard Leonard, Benny Waldon.



## New Friendships Blossomed



Freshman Class officers: president, **Susie Barnes**; vice president, **Ike Littledave**; secretary-treasurer, **Billie Durant**; sergeant-at-arms, **Jerry Baker**. Sponsors, **Miss Kay Ahrnken**; **Mr. Junius Taylor**.

Class motto: *By our efforts we hope to rise.*

Class colors: Green and gold

Class flower: Carnation



Group 9-1

**Front row:** Alden McDonald, William Brown, Leona Island, Patricia Wesley, Frances Peters, Norma Jean McGlaslin, Anna Mae Harjo, Shirley Ann Tanner, Donny Cannon, Tommy Whitetree;

**Second row:** Raymond Ramon, Thurman Greenfeather, Davis Wanoskia, Jesse Scraper, Don Carter, Julia Bayhille, Helen Marie Tanner, Carol Franklin, Marcianna Littleman, Billy Durant;

**Back row:** Carl Barnes, Arlington LeClair, Charles Snell, Otis Blacksmith, Jerry Baker, Susie Sharon Barnes, Charlotte Jackson, Leon Burris, Ike Littledave.





Group 9-2

**Front row:** Winnie Mae Benton, Louis Lopez, Adam Wesley, Betty Vann, Ila Maxine Cadue, Nadine Brown, Violet Serifin, Lasita Tafoya, Calvin Burris, Thomas Wells;

**Second row:** Ervin Wallace, Mary Lou Jones, Don Butler, Wanonia Schmidt, Larry Record, Katie Study, Gertrude Verlarde, Cletus Levier, Robert Rice, Victor Wayne Vance;

**Back row:** Edward Brace, John Whitehorn, Victor Others, William Kosechata, Milford Tidwell, Raymond Knight, Wallace Vicenti, Bill George Johnson.



Group 9-3

**Front row:** Dorothy Davis, Louise Downing, Dorothy Sharkey, Jo Ann Burris, Mae Tafoya, Veronica Cachucha;

**Second row:** Phyllis Rowe, Robert Pedro, Timothy Buffalohead, Van Willis, Angus Julian, Robert Koshiway, Mary Jane Wade, Andrew Shico, James Battiest, Franklin LeClair;

**Back row:** Bobby Gene Vanderslice, Barbara Ann Bevenue, Lindberg Amarillo, Charlie Factor, Luther Pepper, Maxwell No Ear, Rosemary Hail, Mary Jane Bryant, Geneva Moore.



## *All We Want is Music, Music, Music*



Miss Flodelle Dyer  
Instructor of Vocal Music  
and English III



Mr. Wilfred Stocks  
Teacher of Instrumental  
Music and Mathematics  
Director of Chilocco Band

The Chilocco Choir is a volunteer organization which is open to any student who likes to do choral singing and is willing to use his free time for regular, daily practices. This group furnishes special music for many school programs, both secular and sacred.

The choir sings for regular Sunday evening church services at our own community church, gives annual concerts, presents the traditional Christmas Vesper service, takes a caroling tour of the campus before Christmas, and presents programs for various near-by communities. It is directed by the vocal music instructor, Miss Flodelle Dyer.

The band, under the direction of Mr. W. G. Stocks, was a most active organization during the '55-56 school year——practicing very hard to be of service for community events and for the benefit of those students participating in the band. The activities for

the year included: music for athletic events, two band concerts, assemblies, parades, contests, and a pageant. One of the achievements by the band was the *Excellent* rating received at the State Marching Contest. Another was the winning of second place in the Pawnee Parade April 7.

Among the several trips that the band made during the year are included trips to the Oklahoma City State Fair, Tulsa State Fair, Ponca City State Marching Contest, Oklahoma A & M Homecoming at Stillwater, Pawnee Parade, and three days at the Science Fair in Oklahoma City.

Sharing the twirling chores for the year were Galela Henry, Kathryn Mitchell, Juanita Brown, and Joann Miller.

The Drum Major was Fern Harris.



## Say It With Music



Choir

### Sopranos

Sue Albert  
Lee Ella Arpoika  
Winnie Benton  
Louise Burris  
Wynetta Carey  
Ollie Foster  
Donna Kay Hopper  
Shirley Howerton

Faith Carol Jacobs  
Delores Little  
Maxine Little  
JoAnn McCann  
Ida McElhaney  
Sandra McKibben  
Wynema Parton  
Pat Peacock

Novaline Tarleton  
Shirley Tiger  
Charlotte Warrior  
Anna Lou Willis  
Paula Wilson ✓  
Lillie Foster

### Altoes

Susie Barnes



Girls Sextet

Lawrine Bullock, Merrill Ludlow, Paula Wilson ✓, Charlotte Warrior, Shirley Howerton, Maxine Little.





Choir

Marie Brown  
Lawrine Bullock  
LaVerne Carpenter  
Ella Mae Christie  
Bernice DeRoin  
Carole Franklin  
Jessie Keener  
Merrill Ludlow  
Georgia Masquat

Thelma Ross  
Nancy Tyner

**Boys**

Ben Allen  
Shawn Bradley  
Kenneth Ellis  
Ezra Fields  
Gaylon Franklin  
Beri Gibson

Mike Jones  
Kenneth Murie  
Timothy Nibbs  
Wisdom Nibbs  
Lloyd Ross  
David Sixkiller  
Archie Stephenson  
Vincent Warrior  
Francis Tiger



Boys Chorus

**Front Row:** Timothy Nibbs, Archie Stephenson, Wisdom Nibbs, Kenneth Murie, David Sixkiller, Gordon Roy, Presley Battiest, Tommy Lacher, Galyon Franklin

**Back row:** Herbert Willie, Lawrence Smith, Kenneth Ellis, Beri Gibson, Shawn Bradley, Ben Allen, Lloyd Ross



## *Rhythm Is Our Trademark*



Band

### **Alto Horns**

Mary Boney  
Martha Hinman

### **Cornets**

Bruce McCosar  
Mickey Primeaux  
John Vice  
Jennie Collier  
Cecelia Freeman  
Joyce McCann

### **Trombones**

Wanna Tims  
Sauce July  
Arnetta Jones  
Albert Leib  
Ella Johnico  
Wilma Tanner  
Steven Puella

### **Baritones**

Sim McCarty

### **LeRoy Cass**

Norma Jean Gibson

### **Basses**

Johnny Bruner  
Charles Webber  
Donald Anderson

### **Drums**

Reba Homeratha  
Arnetta (Jones) Wheeler  
Sally Bailey



Dance Band

**Front row:** Katherine Mitchell, Addie Cerre, Maggie Bruner, Keith Franklin

**Second row:** Sauce July, Wanna Tims, Sim McCarty, Bruce McCosar, John Vice

**Back row:** Reba Homeratha, Bernice Harjo, and Vocalist, Jennie Collier





Band

Mileah Toney  
Rosemary Hail

**Flutes**

Bernice Harjo  
Faye Austin

**Clarinets**

Judy Graves  
Marcy Whiteshield  
Betty Brown  
Carole Tims  
Joyce Twoguns

Carolyn White  
Juanita Burgess  
Judith Hale  
Charlotte Blacksmith  
Linda Levi  
Nancy Marshall  
Juanita Brown  
Joann Miller

**Bass Clarinet**

Dru Ella Welch

**Alto Saxophones**

Addie Lee Cerre

Maggie Lee Bruner  
Claudette Moore  
Carol Fife  
Mary Whitetree

**Tenor Saxophones**

Keith Franklin  
Lucy Murie

**Baritone Saxophone**

Kathrine Mitchell

**French Horns**

Fern Harris  
Virginia McDonald



Marching Band



## A Place of Proficiency



Miss Dora McFarland,  
School librarian

### Chilocco School Library

Hundreds of fiction and non fiction books are checked out for recreational reading and for class-assigned book reports. Some classes report to the library on a regular weekly schedule while others report by specially arranged groups as the need develops. Open shelves permit Chiloccoans to browse and examine library books from 7:45 to 5:00 every school day.

People sponsoring school activities draw supplementary materials from the library.

The school library is a receiving, compiling, and distributing center for departmental reference material. All the student homes receive supplemental reading material from this source.



Chauncy Buffalohead, Charles Pappan and Melvin Taylor are reading the newspaper in the library.



Cyrus Battiest, Mary Whitetree, Mary Nelson, Wilma Tanner, and Herbert Bully are looking at the library bulletin board.



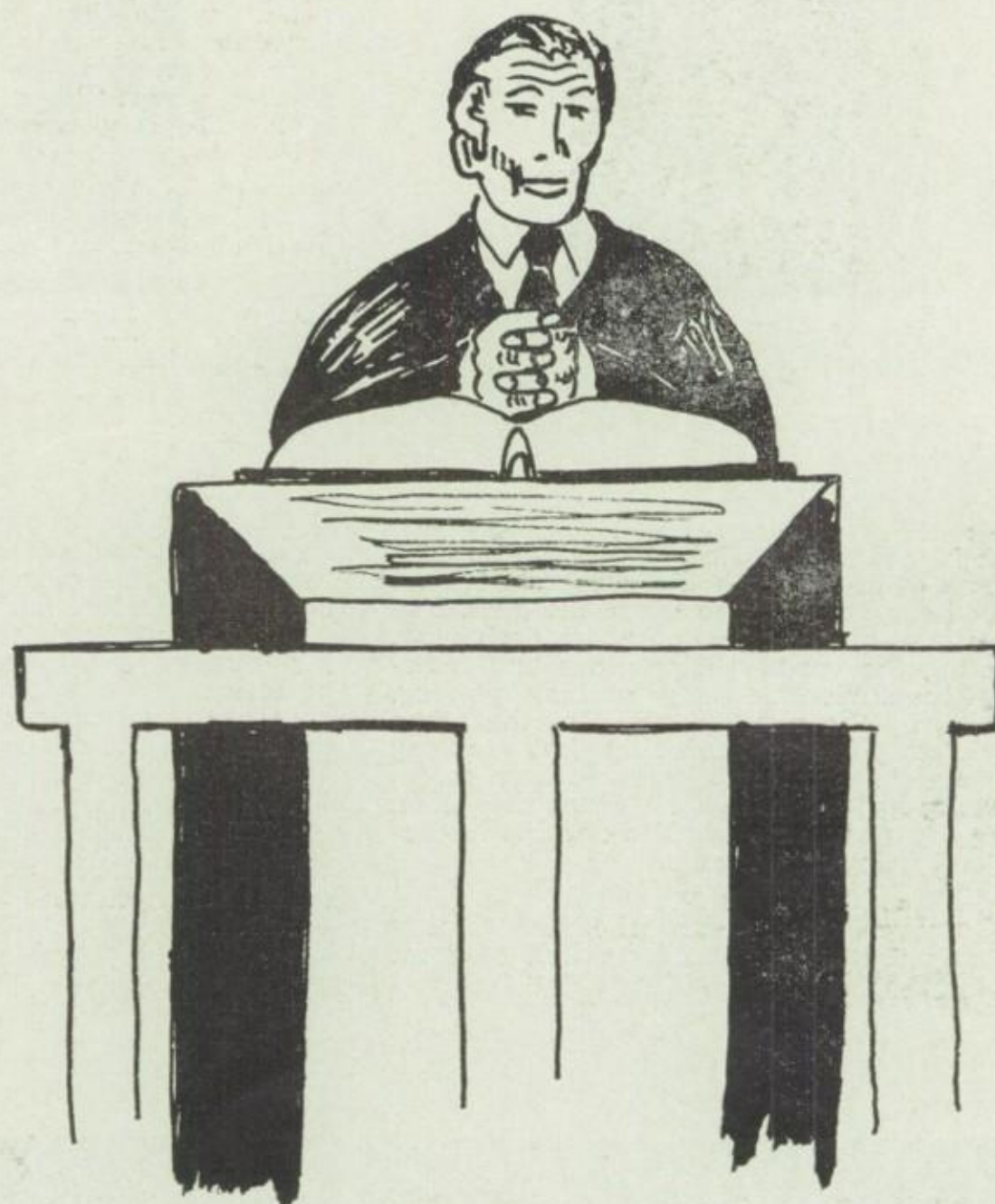
Jim Wood, Paula Wilson, Carol Fife, Mary Scraper, and Sarah Day prepare their next lesson.



Zora Nelson, Claudette Geiogamah, Ruby Manus, Lorene BigEagle and Sandra Hendrix are studying in the library.



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## *Department Heads, Advisory*



Mrs. Mary Frances Werneke,  
Department Head of Guidance, Girls'



Mr. Ray Colglazier,  
Department Head of Guidance, Boys'

It is tradition at Chilocco for Homes One, Two, and Six to house the boys and Homes Three, Four, and Five to house the girls. The homes take on a new atmosphere each year, reflecting the varied personalities and interests of the students. Living, working, playing, and sharing the responsibilities of the home make strong ties of friendship that are long remembered. Students decorate their rooms according to their individual tastes and ideas. In the home students learn to develop leadership and fellowship talents.

Guidance classes are scheduled weekly for the discussing of problems that confront

the different age levels. These classes are held in an attractive room set aside for guidance conferences. Books and other reading material are always available for the student to guide his thinking and to help him solve his own problems if he so desires. All students are urged to bring their personal difficulties and problems to the advisers for discussion.

All students are graded on their citizenship while in the home. Records are kept on the individual boy and girl in the advisers' offices. This year, 533 boys and 369 girls were enrolled.



Mr. James A. Choate,  
Teacher-Adviser



Mrs. Kitty Stafford,  
Teacher-Adviser



Miss Gladys McMahan,  
Teacher-Adviser



Mr. Nelson Rowe,  
Teacher-Adviser



## *Words from the Wise*



Mrs. Juanita Robison,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Girls'



Mrs. Minnie Johnson,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mrs. Pauline Sparkman,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mrs. Minnie Mzhickteno,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mrs. Letha Foster,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mr. Wilsie Bitsie,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mr. Sam Tolth,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'



Mrs. Mary Means,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Girls'



Mrs. Faye Hathcoat,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Girls'



Miss Ruth Redhouse,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Girls'



Miss Betty Sue Sessions,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Girls'



Mr. Lee Roy Bacon,  
Dormitory Attendant,  
Boys'





Mr. James A. Choate, Boys Adviser reads request for Luther Pepper.



Joan Teehee and Nancy Tyner.



Clarence Walters and Bill Pratt relax in Home Six Library.



Virginia Waters asks for a pass from Mrs. Kittye M. Stafford, Girls' Adviser.

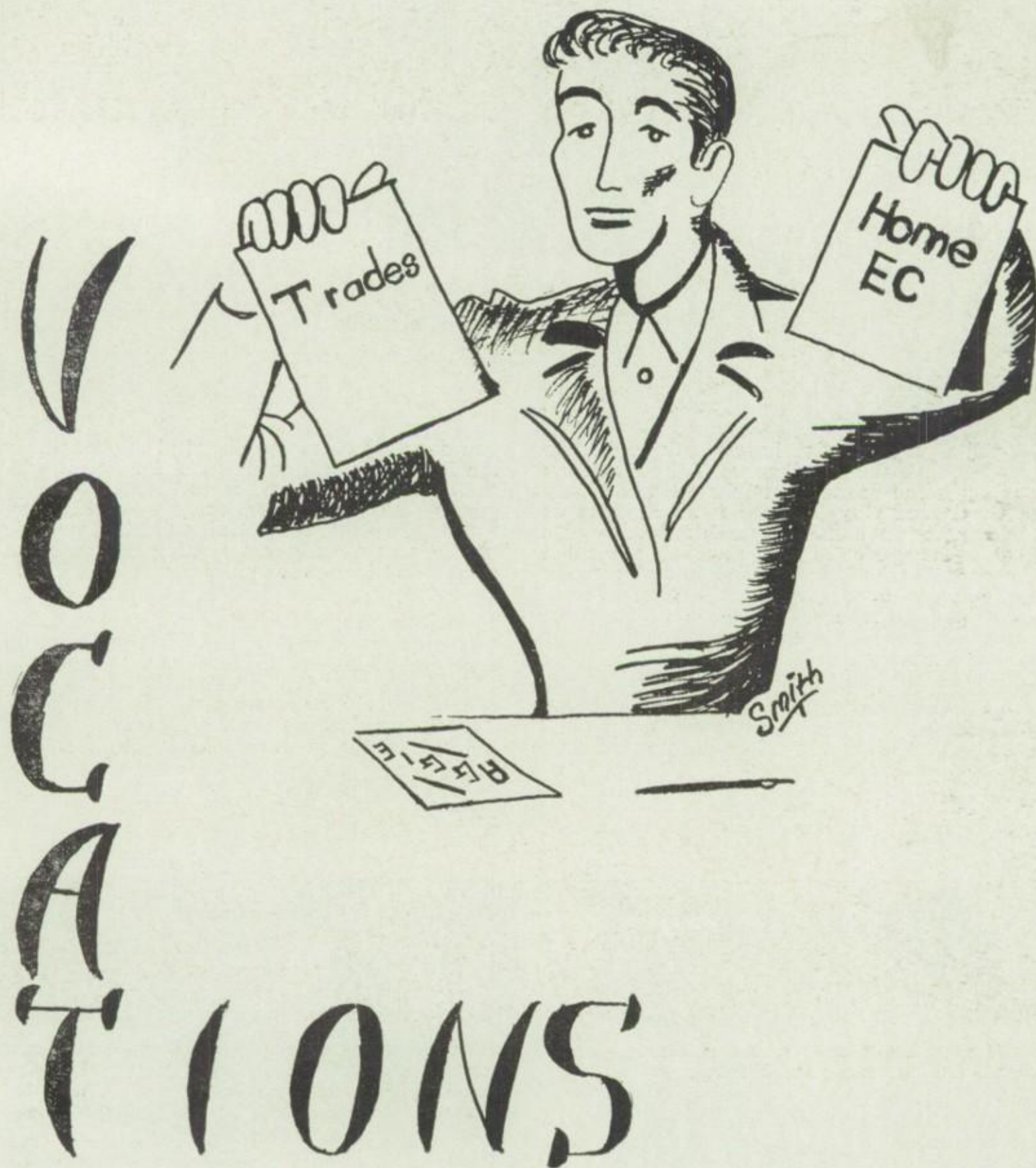


Homer Snell and Kenneth Murie enjoy listening to the radio in their room.



Girls prepare for their guidance lessons: Lasita Tafoya, Mae Tafoya, Helen Tanner, Barbara Bevenue, Louise Downing, Charlotte Jackson, Nadine Brown (at desk), Janie Bryant.







## Department Head, Home Economics



Mrs. Pearl W. Colglazier,  
Department Head of Home Economics

This year really hurried through! No wonder; look at the things we did! **September:** our six home economics clubs fed everybody at the Ponca City-Chilocco football game at the concession stand. **December:** Santa was glad to have us for helpers when we filled the candy sacks. **January:** speeding up again we donned 157 dresses at the annual style show, gave demonstrations on home improvement, and sprayed and tinted our hair as for a movie premiere.

**March:** hurry up to Home Five and see Wanonia on television! Who ever thought Indian fry bread would be so important? Did

you ever see as many electrical appliances as the fifty the ninth-grade girls' food class won in the recipe collection contest? Hats, heels and gloves, and the FHA'ers are off to Oklahoma City to the State rally. Oui, oui, Mademoiselle and Monsieur! a gay "Evening in Paris" at our annual home economics party.

**April:** Here come those two hard-working 4-H girls to see their blue ribbons won in speeches at Newkirk. Next came the recognition dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Correll on April 4, and the 1100 guests we served in 25 minutes. There were many other special dinners throughout the year.



Susie Barnes works on a project in sewing class.



Lee Ella Arpoika fills her spool in weaving class.



## *We Tutor Future Homemakers*



Miss Marion Ross,  
Teacher Home Economics



Mrs. Beatrice O. Boory,  
Teacher Home Economics



Mrs. Josephine M. Wapp,  
Training Instructor,  
Indian Arts and Crafts



Mrs. Lucille J. Schell,  
Training Instructor,  
Cosmetology



Miss Rose Mary Wood,  
Teacher Home Economics



Mrs. Josie G. Anderson,  
Teacher Home Economics



Mrs. Eileen A. Points,  
Training Instructor,  
Cafe Management



Mrs. Christine Scroggins,  
Laundry Helper



Mrs. Ethel Grinnell,  
Laundry Foreman





Doris Johnson is weaving a blanket that may be sold to one of the visitors or employees.



Garland Kent and Vincent Warrior are folding spreads at the laundry.



Shirley Wheeler is giving "Service with a smile" to Mr. Scroggins, Mr. Joice, Mr. Vann and Mr. Lacy.



Judy Graves is giving some pointers to freshman girls who are learning to manicure.



It's time for orange juice at the nursery school. Reba Homeratha and Betty Brown are the student teachers.



In home nursing Mary Holahta gets experience in fixing breakfast for a bed patient, Mileah Tony.





Mary Boney is using the steam press at the laundry to iron collar and cuffs.



Correct table setting is being practiced by Winnie Benton.



Cosmetology class gives Ann Lou Willis and Virginia McDonald a chance to fix their hair.



Knowing how to bake a cake will help Lasita Tafoya and Mary Lou Jones make someone happy.



Carol White, Cecelia Freeman, and Virginia Waters are using some of their ingenuity in weaving.



Looks as if Mary Jane Yeatman and Bernice Harjo are going to have fried chicken for supper.



## *To Suit Your Taste*



Mr. C. Y. Rummage,  
Training Assistant  
Baking



Mrs. Julia Kent,  
Cook



Mr. Everett Werneke,  
Training Assistant  
Cooking

The kitchen and bakery offer a valuable laboratory for training students in food preparation, quantitative cooking, and baking. There are many phases in these courses such as meat preparation, and the preparation of breads and pastries.

The foods prepared by the foods preparation and bakery students are served as regular meals in the school cafeteria.

These laboratories are called upon many times during the year to prepare the food for class dinners, picnics, large parties, and small parties, thus giving students a large number of varied experiences.



Mrs. Delpha Limb,  
Cook's Helper



Mrs. Dadie Revell,  
Cook's Helper



Mrs. Zelda Gray,  
Seamstress



Mrs. Christine Pittman,  
Head Waiter





Bakery boys are kneading bread dough. Front to back: Charles Pappan, Albert Harjo, Sim McCarty, and Keith Franklin.



At the dough mixer, Lloyd Ross cuts a portion of the bread dough for kneading.



John Topaha (second from left) and Paul Billy (right) slice the steak. Joe Hobb puts the slices through a tenderizer.



Delbert Chavez cuts round steak.



Boys frying eggs for breakfast. Front to back: Paul Billy, John Topaha, Joe Hobb, Justin Billy, and Delbert Chavez.



Special Navajo boys wash the dishes after a meal.



## *Department Head, Agriculture*



Mr. Alvin Kivett  
Department Head,  
Agriculture

Agriculture as taught at Chilocco is a general subject as well as a vocational subject. Chilocco has one of the most complete school farms and lines of equipment to be found anywhere for acquiring the general knowledge and skills necessary to engage successfully in some phase of agriculture.

Adequate herds and flocks allow the boy to gain experience with various classes of livestock or to specialize in one field of animal husbandry. Shops, laboratories, classrooms, and experienced personnel give him a background in the sciences involved, and the theory necessary to get an understanding of the proper handling of soils, plants, and livestock.

Agriculture as taught at Chilocco helps to add meaning to the whole school program. The knowledge of general agriculture adds to a person's general education and is especially valuable in an agricultural state.



Mr. James Hamburger  
Teacher, Agriculture



Mr. Roger Denman  
Teacher, Agriculture



Mr. Arthur Jones  
Teacher, Agriculture



Mr. Francis Heinz  
Dairy Supervisor



# *We Tutor Future Farmers*



Mr. James Bearskin  
Poultryman



Mr. Lavern Hunt  
Farm Laborer



Mr. Albert Snell  
Gardener



Mr. Julius Rademacher  
Farm Laborer



Mr. William Rademacher  
Farm Laborer



Mr. Paul Osborne  
Farm Laborer



Mr. George Brown  
Farm Laborer



Mr. Henry C. Hollowell  
Farm Supervisor



Mr. George McIntyre  
Farm Laborer

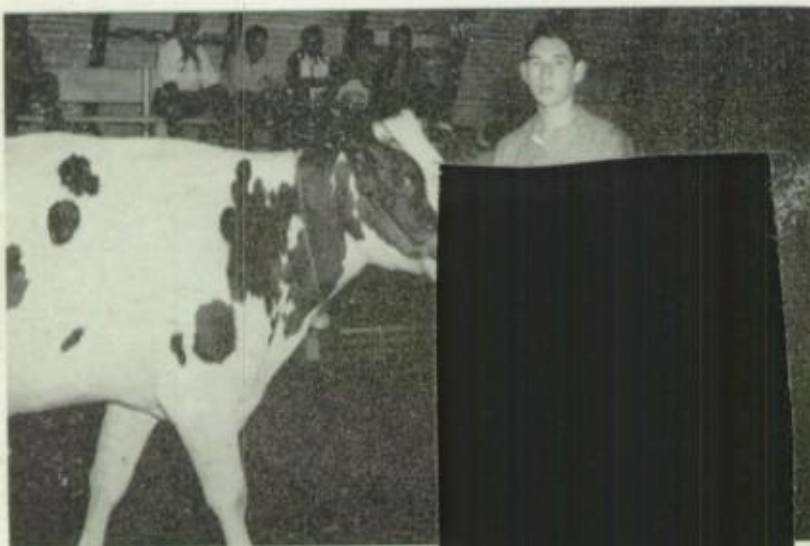




Jim Tiger, Alvin Kivett, Charles Parker, James Allen showing their livestock.



Luke Austin, Vincent Warrior, John Cusher and Lawrence Begay displaying their horses at the livestock show.



Elton Brown showing the



J. James Hamburger and Johnny Morris showing the prize lamb.



Ralph Grass, Jack Schindler, LeRoy Cass and Charles Webber with the livestock at the livestock show.



Art Jones, Leah Mathes, J. James Hamburger, Jean Morris, and Carrie M. Jones.

Johnny Morris, James Hamburger, Alvin Kivett, and the house.

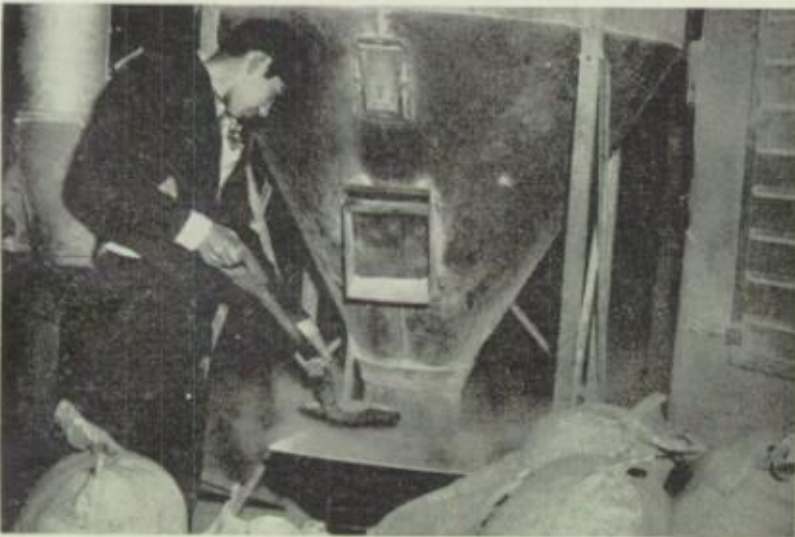




Art Jones, instructor, teaching a class of aggie boys.  
Charles Factor is showing the different parts of the tractor.



Johnny Morris, David Thompson, Weldon Mahone, and Merlin Kennedy study the different parts of a cow.



Edward Brace mixes feed.



James Battiest fixes a spray.



Leo Todichineey plows cane.



Vann Willis, Max NoEar (in tree), and Andrew Shico are pruning trees in the orchard.



## *Department Head, Trades*



Mr. Leon C. Lacy  
Department Head, Vocational.

The paramount objective of Chilocco's Trades Department is to develop saleable skills and those attitudes and understandings that make for a productive worker and an honest, dependable, trustworthy citizen.

Eighteen trade teachers are employed in this department, all specialists in their respective fields. Most of them are men who have worked in industry as journeymen and know the requirements placed on the beginner, by

both the labor unions and the employer.

In recent years the standards of teaching have been greatly improved by the participation of trade personnel in Trade and Industrial Education courses brought to the campus by the Oklahoma A&M College. With the exception of two new teachers all the personnel are now eligible to receive five-year state teaching certificates, issued by the Oklahoma State Department of Education. This is an achievement very few schools can boast.



Mr. Virgil England,  
Training Instructor,  
Printing



Mr. Edgar Scroggins,  
Training Instructor,  
Utilities,  
Operating & Maintenance



Mr. Louis Thompson,  
Teacher  
Vocational & Technical  
Subjects



Mr. Edwin Joice,  
Training Instructor,  
Leather Working



## *We Tutor Future Tradesmen*



Mr. John Topaum,  
Training Instructor,  
Cleaning-Pressing



Mr. Martin Sanders,  
Training Instructor,  
Trades-Carpentry



Mr. Earl Grinnell,  
Training Instructor,  
Painting



Mr. L. C. Parker,  
Training Instructor,  
General



Mr. Glenn Limb,  
Training Assistant,  
Plumbing



Mr. Billy Ross Mulkey,  
Teacher  
Vocational & Technical  
Subjects



Mr. Calvin Cowen,  
Teacher  
Vocational & Technical  
Subjects



Mr. Josiah Vann,  
Carpenter



Mrs. Iva England,  
Printer.



Mr. Francis Pipestem,  
Painter



Mr. Clifton Dee,  
Training Assistant  
Masonry



Mr. Donald Cook,  
Electrician.





Mr. James Larney,  
Training Instructor,  
Body and Fender repair



Mr. Simon Williams,  
Fireman



Mr. Elmer Barnes,  
Fireman



Mr. Henry McEwin,  
Fireman



Mr. Ralph Packhorse,  
Laborer

#### Post Graduate Trainees

A student may enroll in any of the 18 trades offered, provided he can meet the entrance requirements. The length of time required to complete the course varies, depending on the trade and the individual. Upon completion of the course as outlined for graduation he may return for one year's

additional training if recommended by the instructor as possessing ability to benefit from such training. Students who receive this training and satisfactorily complete the requirements receive a vocational diploma, which is the highest ranking award given to students by the Bureau of Indian Affairs.



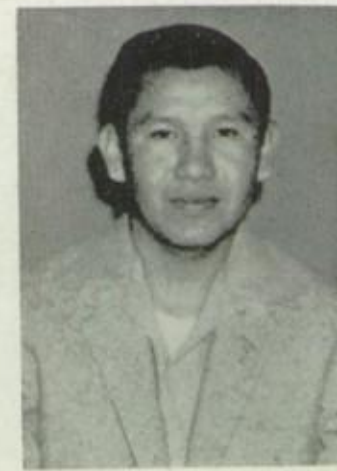
Leroy Lincoln  
Painting



Louise Osage  
Cosmetology



Gilbert Mathews  
Printing



Ben Cerre  
Dry cleaning and pressing





David Hale paints a building with a spray gun.



Robert Nez is painting a door in the new cottage.



Norman Brown is measuring the floor in the new cottage.



Harold Tyner, Albert Lieb, and Earl Chase work at the carpentry shop.

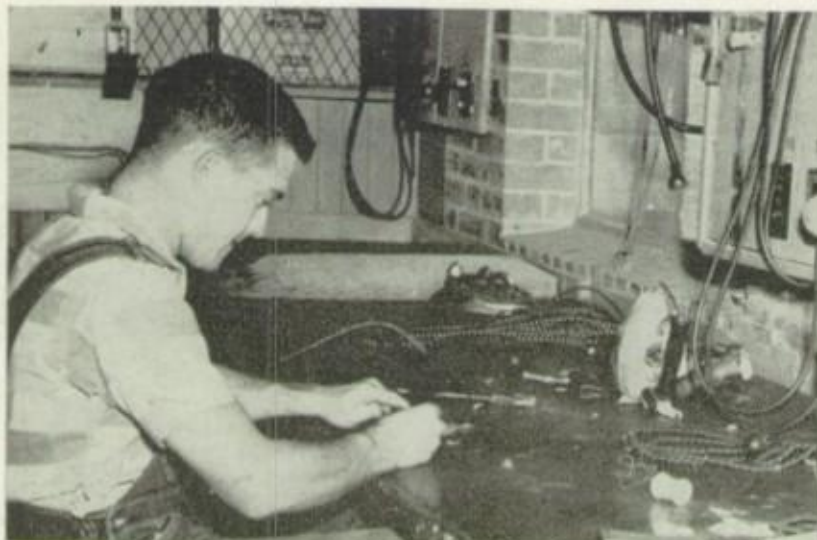


Activity shot of the carpentry boys working on the new cottage.

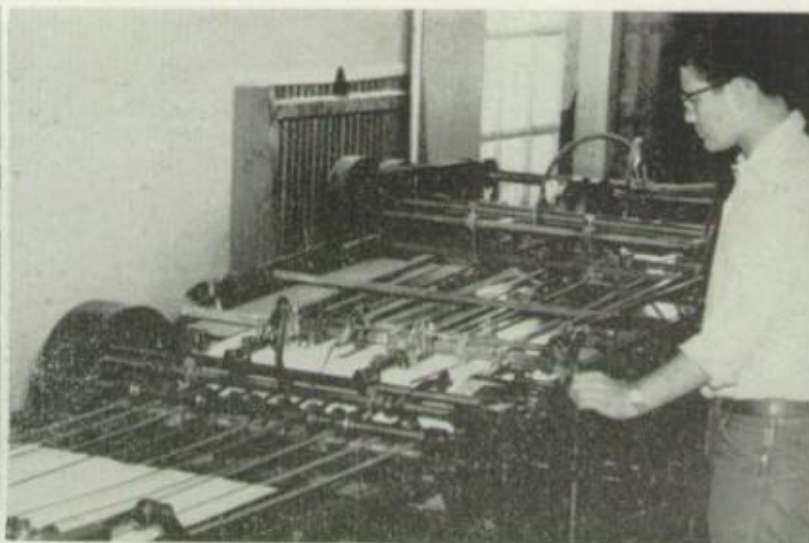


Woody Silver paints a window pane of the new cottage.





Wesley Vann repairs irons in the electric shop.



Raymond McLemore operates the Kelley Press at the print shop.



Gerald Thomas and Johnny Williams fold the school Journals at the print shop.



Gilbert Mathews and Raymond Parker operate the vertical press at the print shop.



Bahe Keams, Jimmy Anderson, and William Burgess.



Jimmy Anderson and Elmer Barnes, fireman, add oil to the machinery.





David Notah overhauls an engine.



James Redhouse does a grease job on a car.



Clarence Marcus welds a drafting table.



Tom Sam grinds metals for a pipe table frame.



Robert Clah and James Redhouse work on a transmission.



T. J. Frazier cuts out a bit for an "orange peel".





Tommy Lacher and Presley Battiest make hand bags.



Navajo boys work on hand bags, belts, and billfolds.



Johnny Bruner pressing clothes at the cleaning and pressing shop.



Beri Gibson does repair work on worn clothes at cleaning and pressing shop.



Robert Whitekiller is spotting clothes at the cleaning and pressing shop.



Ivan Kee holds a brief case made at the leathercraft shop.

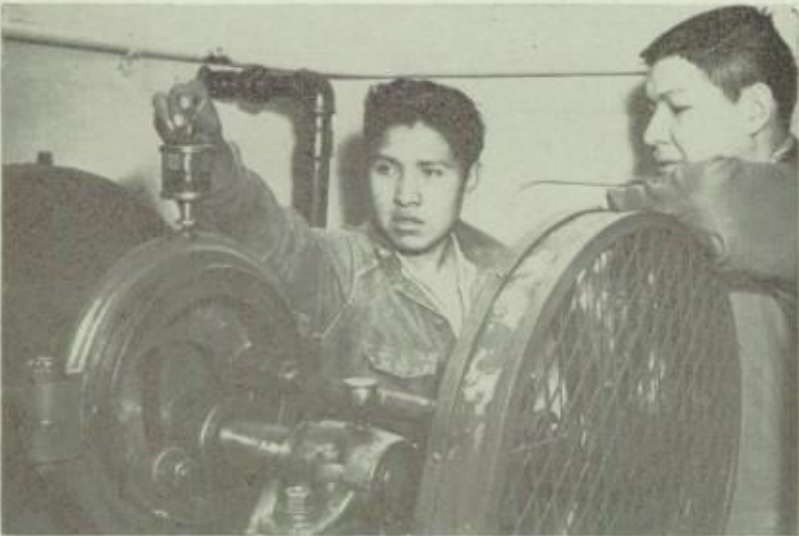




James Begay and Luther Singer finish a floor for a classroom in old dairy barn. Clifton L. Dee, supervises.



James Begay lays brick to close a window in the old dairy barn. Clifton L. Dee assists in work.



John Yazzie checks oil on the serve disposil pump. Alfred Jimmerson gives instructions.



Ben Allen tightens a pipe for a sink.



Activity shot of a group of boys working on the new cottage, a combination of the building trades.



Roman Johnson and LeRoy Cass lay brick around a doorway. Mr. Clifton L. Dee instructs them.

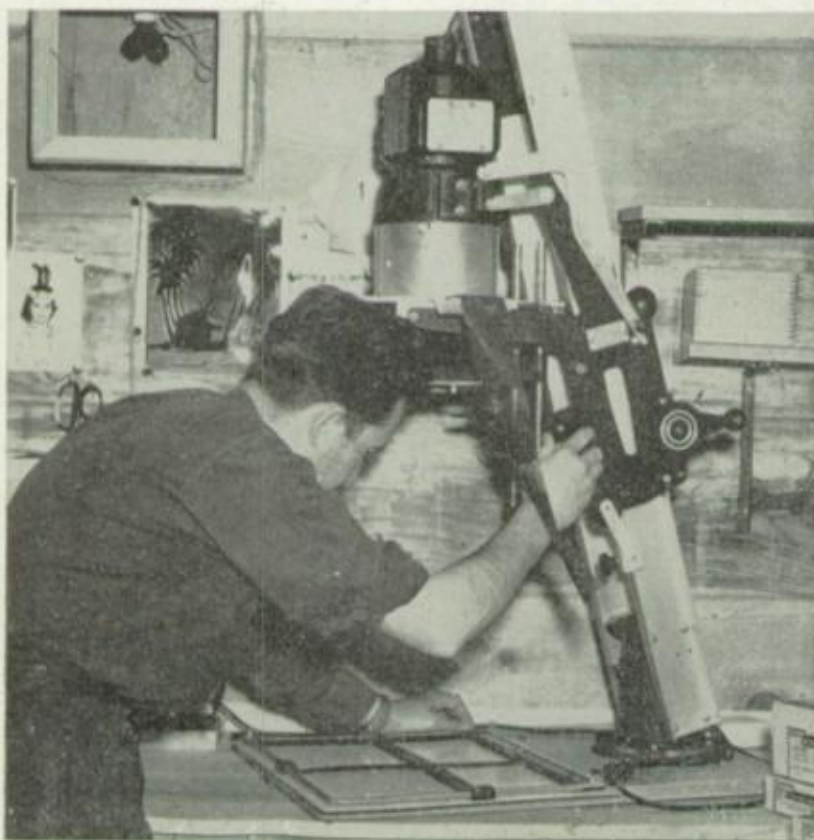


## Special Personnel



The Fire Department, under the able direction of Mr. Louis Thompson, is composed of boys who are enrolled in auto mechanics. Each boy is thoroughly familiar with the fire fighting equipment and stands ready to assist with the prevention and control of fires.

Students who are members of this unit are: Bruce Donahue, Wonder Johns, Leland Mendez, Bruce McCosar, Winfred Grigsby, Wisdom Nibbs, Esloney Culley, Kenneth Punley, Henry Nedd, Charles Stephens, Elmer Horne, Albert Cravatt, and Cecil Johns.



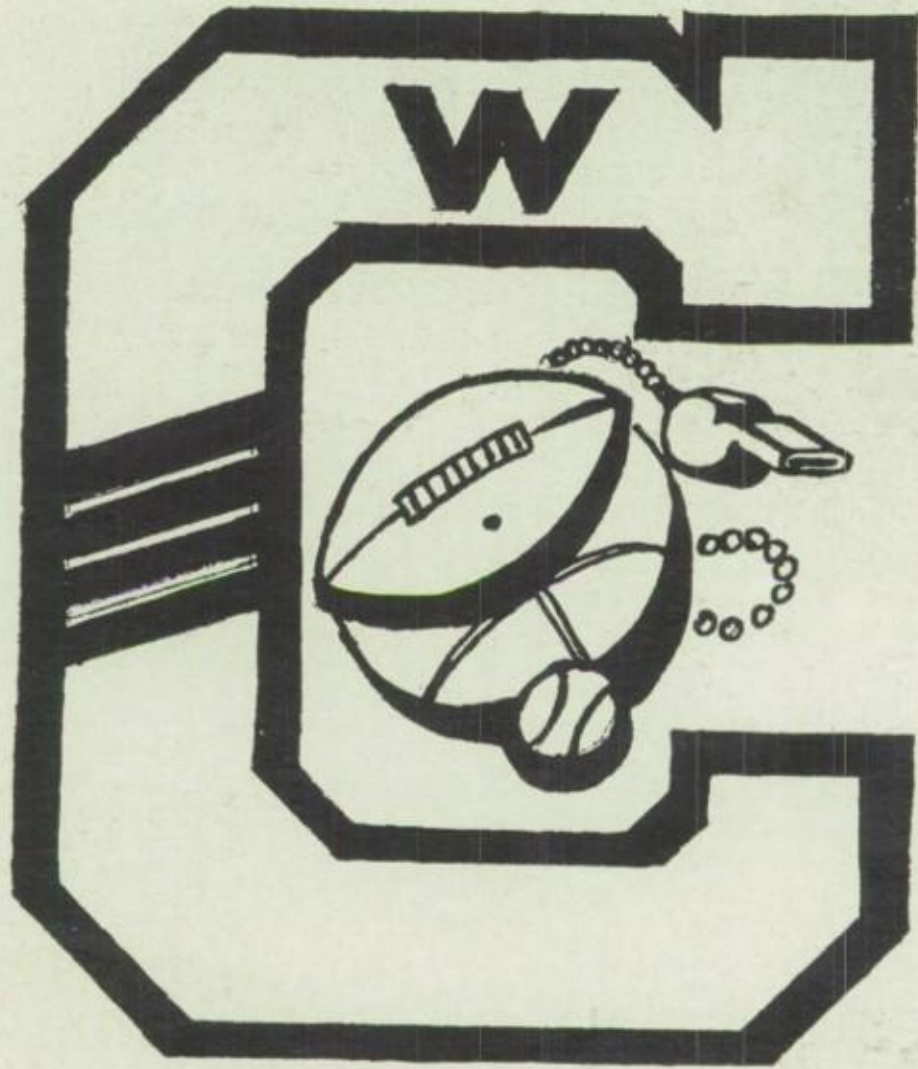
Mr. Calvin Cowen, the school photographer, at work.



James Larney starts the bus to take the students on a trip.



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## *We Teach Good Sportsmanship*



Mr. Kenneth Moore  
Coach



Mr. Billy Ross Mulky  
Track Coach



Mr. Doyle Presley  
Teacher,  
Physical Education,  
Boys'

The Physical education and athletic program here at Chilocco consists of those activities and courses designed to help the physical and recreational needs of youth. The goal of the social aspects of living as well as the physical development aspects necessary for a happy and productive life. The program empha-

sizes the development of agility, strength, skill, and endurance.

We, the coaches have enjoyed another year working with the boys in all boys in all sports and appreciate the way the boys have worked and played in each contest. Would like to thank the student body and faculty for the fine support and school spirit that you have demonstrated in backing your teams.



Mr. David Adams  
Assistant Football Coach



Mrs. Rose Wilkins  
Teacher,  
Physical Education,  
Girls'

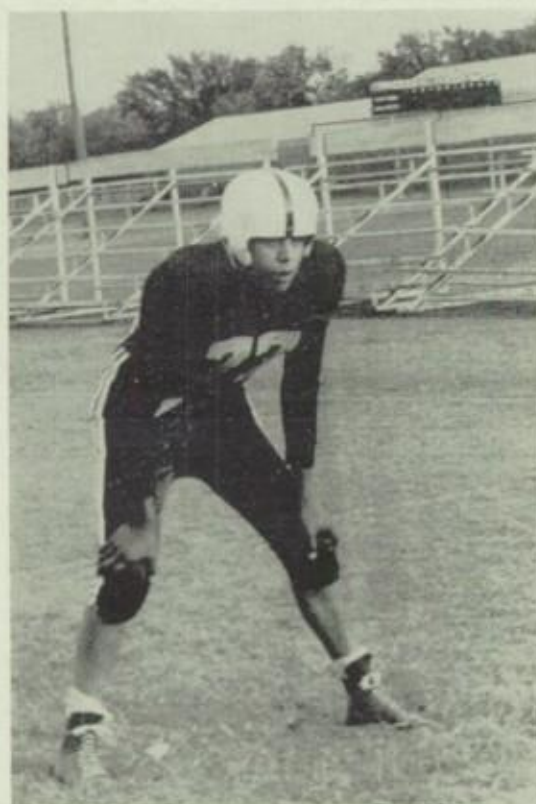




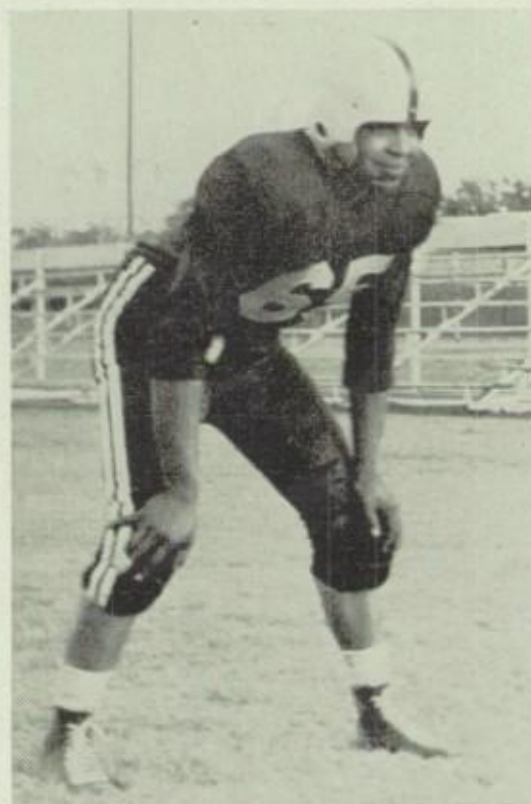
Clarence Marcus batting for Chilocco.



Larry Brown and Jack Schindler, Chilocco wrestlers.



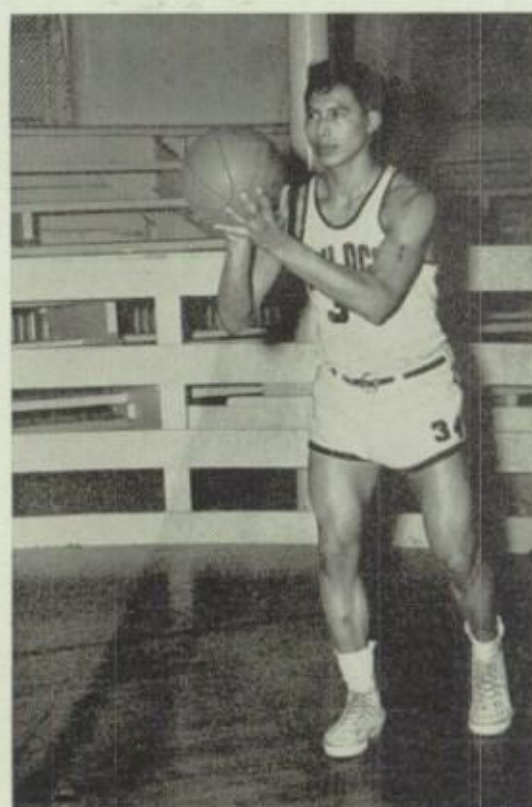
Robert Hale, football co-captain, made All-Conference second team.



Johnny Morris, football captain, made All-Conference second team.



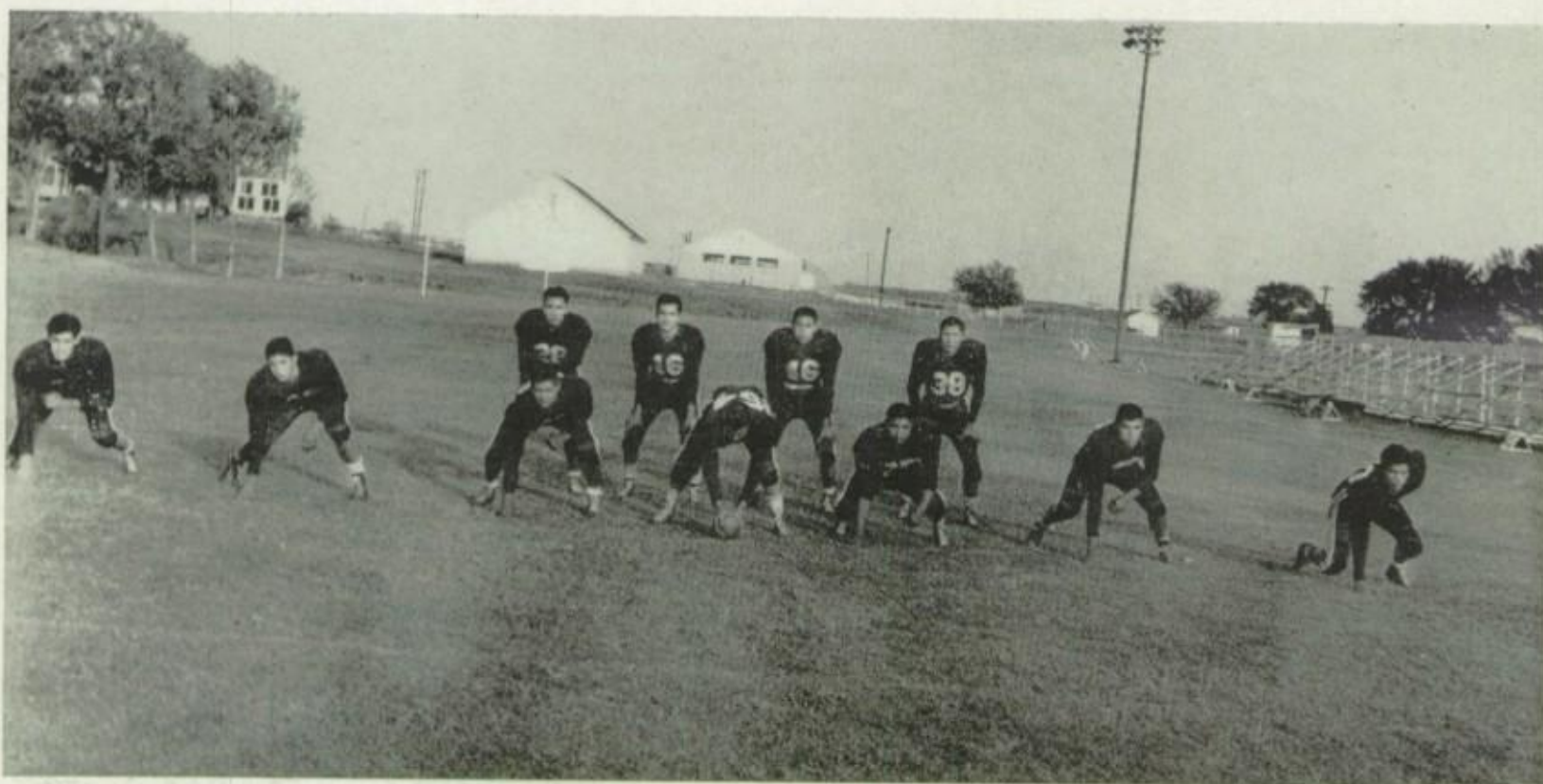
Spectators at the Homecoming game with Guthrie.



Frank Johnson, member of Chilocco's basketball team.



## Kick'Em High



Starting Line-up, Varsity Football Team

Burney Waldon, Dennis James, Kenneth Punley, Bruce Donahue, Johnny Morris, Robert Hale, George Carpenter.

**Backfield:** Cecil John, Robert Whitekiller, T. J. Frazier, Marsey Coonhead.



Varsity Football Team

**Front row:** Don Ross, Manager; George Scott, Robert Whitekiller, Jacob Morris, Dixon Dyer, Herbert Willie, Tommy Lacher, Presley Battiest, Cecil John, John Teehee, Henry Nedd, Joe Aitson.

**Second row:** Coach Moore, Bruce Donahue, Marsey Coonhead, Dorman Benn, T. J. Frazier, Jimmy Anderson, Kenneth Punley, Homer Snell, Jimmy Wood, Charles Compton, Benny Waldon, Johnny Morris, Coach Presley.

**Back row:** Lincoln Vann, Leslie Harjo, Alfred Jimmerson, Dennis James, Robert Hale, Henry Redbone, Burney Waldon, Charles Stephens, Neil Williams, George Carpenter, Don Marland.



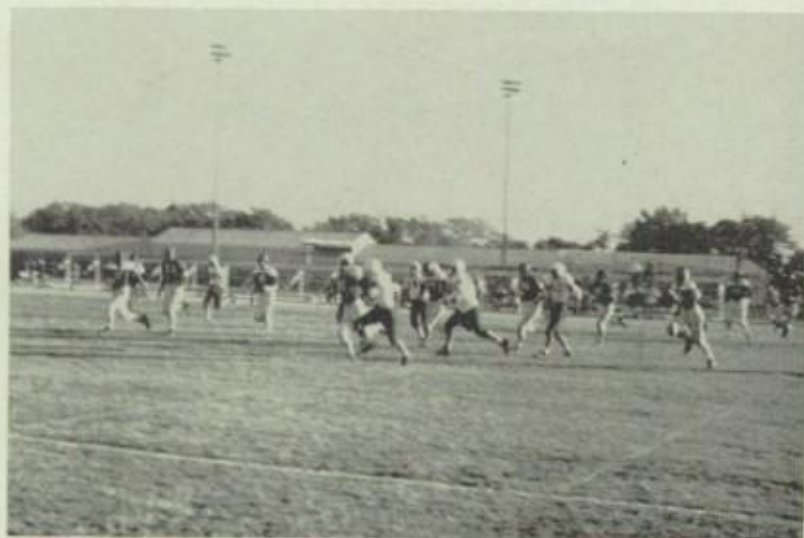
## Pass'Em Low



Junior High Football Team

**Bottom row:** William Brown, manager, Tommy Whitetree, Louis Lopez, Erwin Wallace, Don Carter, Larry Record, Maxwell NoEar, Charles Snell, Jesse Scraper, Adam Wesley, James Battiest, Donny Cannon, Coach David Adams.

**Back row:** John Whitehorn, Cletus Levier, Jerry Baker, Victor Others, Luther Pepper, Frank Le-Clair, Bill Johnson, William Kosechata, Charley Factor, Leon Burris, Robert Rice, Not Pictured: Ike Littledave, Phillip Mathews, Assistant coach.



Chilocco junior high going for a touchdown against Tonkawa junior high. Chilocco won, 20 to 7.



Chilocco junior high trying hard to get through Tonkawa's line.



## *Dribble Down the Sideline*



Starting Five, Basketball

Robert Whitekiller, Unich Keener, Burney Waldon, Frank Johnson, T. J. Frazier.



Basketball Team

**Front row:** Robert Whitekiller, Frank Johnson, Leslie Pahdacone, Burney Waldon, John King, Charles Stephens, T. J. Frazier, Unich Keener.

**Second row:** Leon Burris, Cecil John, George Scott, Neil Williams, Arthur Hill, Dorman Benn, Presley Battiest, Dan Meeley.

**Third row:** Coach Moore, Jimmy Anderson, William Burgess, Gordon Roy, Bill Johnson, Dixon Dyer.

**Back row:** Edward Brace, Garland Kent, Bill Kosechata, Ike Littledave.



## Shoot from the Floor



Leslie Pahdacony, Number 35, goes in for a lay-up against St. John's of Winfield.



Robert Whitekiller, Basketball captain, dribbles the ball.



Charles Stephens, number 30, jumps against St. John's while Robert Whitekiller and Leslie Pahdacony stand ready.



## *Are We In It?*



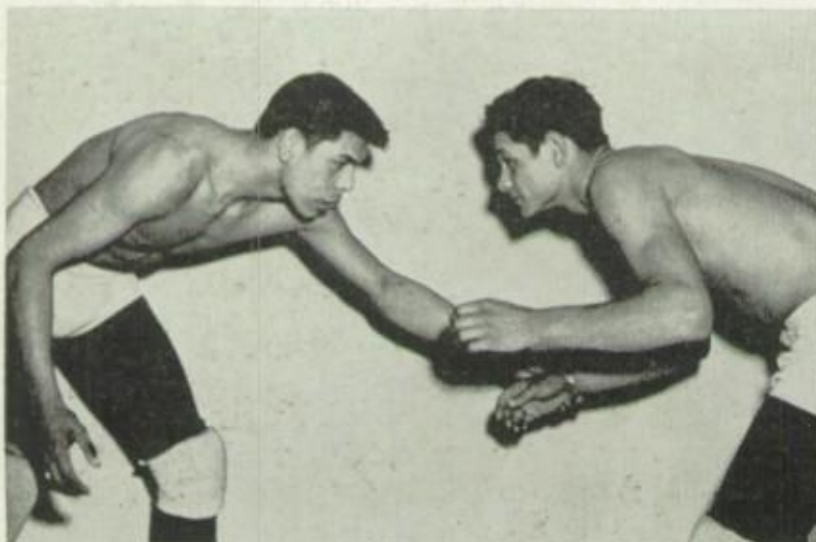
Wrestling Team

**Front:** Don Ross, Manager

**Front row:** Jack Schindler, Don Marland, Robert Hale, Henry Redbone, Kenneth Punley, Bobby Wood.

**Second row:** Maxwell NoEar, Larry Record, Gerald Thomas, Larry Brown, Tommy Lacher, Hubert Bully, Jimmy Wood, Albert Cravatt, Coach Presley.

**Back row:** Tommy Whitetree, Charlie Buckley, Lindberg Amarillo, Milford Tidwell, Key Welch, Victor Vance, John Teehee.



Robert Hale and Kenneth Punley warming up.



Coach Presley instructing Tommy Lacher and Don Marland.



*Well, I Guess!*



Track Team

**Front row:** Robert Hale, Bruce Donahue, Kenneth Punley, Joe Roberts, Henry Nedd, Mike Jones, Charles Compton, Leland Mendez, Joel Davis, Dennis James.

**Second row:** Jack Schindler, Dixon Dyer, Jimmie Wood, Cecil John, Garland Kent, Henry Redbone, Mickey Primeaux, Frank Johnson, Lyman Choate, Dorman Benn, Cyrus Battiest.

**Back row:** Larry Record, Robert Rice, Otis Blacksmith, Maxwell NoEar, Berie Gibson, Eugene Williams, Lloyd Ross, Elton Brown.



Robert Hale pole vaulting.



Robert Hale clearing the hurdles.



## *Chilocco Indians, Yes! Yes! Yes!*



Baseball Team

**Front row:** Herbert Willie, Lincoln Vann, Neil Williams, Marshall Colbert, Charles Stephens, Robert Whitekiller, Bruce Donahue, Jimmie Greenfeather, Clarence Marcus.

**Back row:** Coach Moore, Jacob Morris, Stanley Bush, Tecumseh Jackson, George Carpenter, Gordon Roy, Kenneth Murie, Sim McCarty, Presley Battiest, Johnny Morris.



Clarence Marcus, Chilocco pitcher, warms up.



Presley Battiest bats for Chilocco.



## BOYS' INTRAMURAL PROGRAM

The intramural program at Chilocco is designed to give the boys who are not members of the inter-scholastic teams a chance to take part in athletic contests. Any boy that is a member of a high school team, whether he plays regularly or not, is barred from intramural participation.

The teams of the intramural program are made up of boys from various vocational departments, there being eight teams. Some of the vocations are combined in order to have sufficient boys for the team. Sponsoring teams are the Aggie, Cleaning and Pressing, Leathercraft, Printers, Kitchen and Bakery, Auto Mechanics and Blacksmith, Carpentry and Paint shops, and the Power Plant and Plumbing shops.

Teams representing these various vocations are made up of boys from all classes of the high school and boys from the Special Navajo Department, who are taking that particular vocation. In touch football a total of 133 boys played on these eight teams. In basketball a total of 98 boys played on the eight teams, and approximately 150 boys played during the softball season. Trophies are awarded to the team winning the championship in each sport.

Approximately 350 boys will have taken part in the intramural program by the end of school 1956.

## GIRLS' INTRAMURAL PROGRAM

Softball was the introductory sport for the fall semester. Teams were selected from class divisions with captains being appointed from each group. Seven teams were entered in the Round Robin and elimination tournaments. The 10-1's captained by Rosa Lee Letka won both tourneys with easy victories.

Volley ball followed with eight teams entered in the elimination tournaments. The 11-1's were easy victors and their captain was Billie Bryant.

The basketball tourney, which probably presented more enthusiasm than any other sport, had 74 girls playing from 4 to 5 p.m. on week days. Those girls playing on Saturdays were unable to play during the week days

from 4 to 5 p.m. The ninth grade team captained by Louise Downing won the week day tourney but lost to Sally Bailey's team for the championship.

Two double elimination brackets were drawn up for badminton doubles. Approximately 64 girls were entered. Again the Band and Choir girls participated on Saturdays.

Betty Thomas and Ramona Williams, who incidentally had never played badminton previously, won the week-day tournaments.

Table tennis did not draw so many contestants as the girls were just beginning to learn the skills and rules for this sport. At this writing the tournament was not completed.



## *Intramurals Champs, Boys'*



Intramural Champs, Softball

**Front row:** Norman Brown, Arthur Woody, Leonard Carroll, Levi Tso,

**Back row:** Mr. John Topaum, instructor of cleaning and pressing; Peter Tsinnijinnie, Alex Hand, Ben Cerre, Richard Hoskie

### Boys' Intramural Football Standing (1955)

	W	L	T
Cleaning and Pressing	6	0	0
Carpenter and Paint Shop	3	1	0
Kitchen and Bakery	3	2	0
Aggies	2	3	0
Auto and Blacksmith Shop	1	3	1
Print Shop	1	3	1
Shoe Shop	0	4	0

### Boys' Intramural Basketball (1956)

	W	L
Carpenter and Paint Shop	6	0
Cleaning and Pressing	4	2
Kitchen and Bakery	4	2
Aggie	3	3
Auto and Blacksmith Shop	2	4
Shoe Shop	2	4
Print Shop	0	6





Intramural Champs, Football

**Front row:** Norman Brown, Arthur Woody, Leonard Carroll, Levi Tso, Richard Hoskie

**Back row:** Mr. John Topaum, Instructor of Cleaning and Pressing, Peter Tsinnijinnie, Bobby Wood, Clarence Walters, Alex Hand, Archie Stephenson, Gordon Roy, Lyman Choate, Ben Cerre



Intramural Champs, Basketball

**Front row:** Unich Keener, Phillip Childers, Johnny Allen, Woody Silver, Leo Thomas Joe,

**Back row:** Harold Tyner, James Skinner, Leroy Lincoln, Jimmie Knight



## *Intramurals Champs, Girls'*



**Front row:** Sandra Hendricks, Betty Thomas, Mary Swake.

**Back row:** Mary Jean Scraper, Sarah Day, Claudette Geiogamah, Lydia Manley.

**Not pictured:** Joycette Factor, and Rosa Lee Letka, Captain.





Intramural Volleyball Champions

Front row: Cornelia Jones, Virginia Waters, Billie Bryant, Gertrude Miller

Back row: Mary Hohahta, Gloria Washington, Lois Battiest, Wynema Parton, Charlotte Blacksmith.



Intramural Basketball Champions

Millicent Maynahonah, Sally Bailey; captain, Ella Johnico, Faye Austin, Nancy Marshall, Linda Levi.



## *The Fairer Sex Made Their Mark, Too*



Posture Contest Winner

Joyce McCann, a sophomore, took first place over 65 contestants. She is a Choctaw, from Spiro. Taking second and third places were Novaline Tarleton and Faith Jacobs.

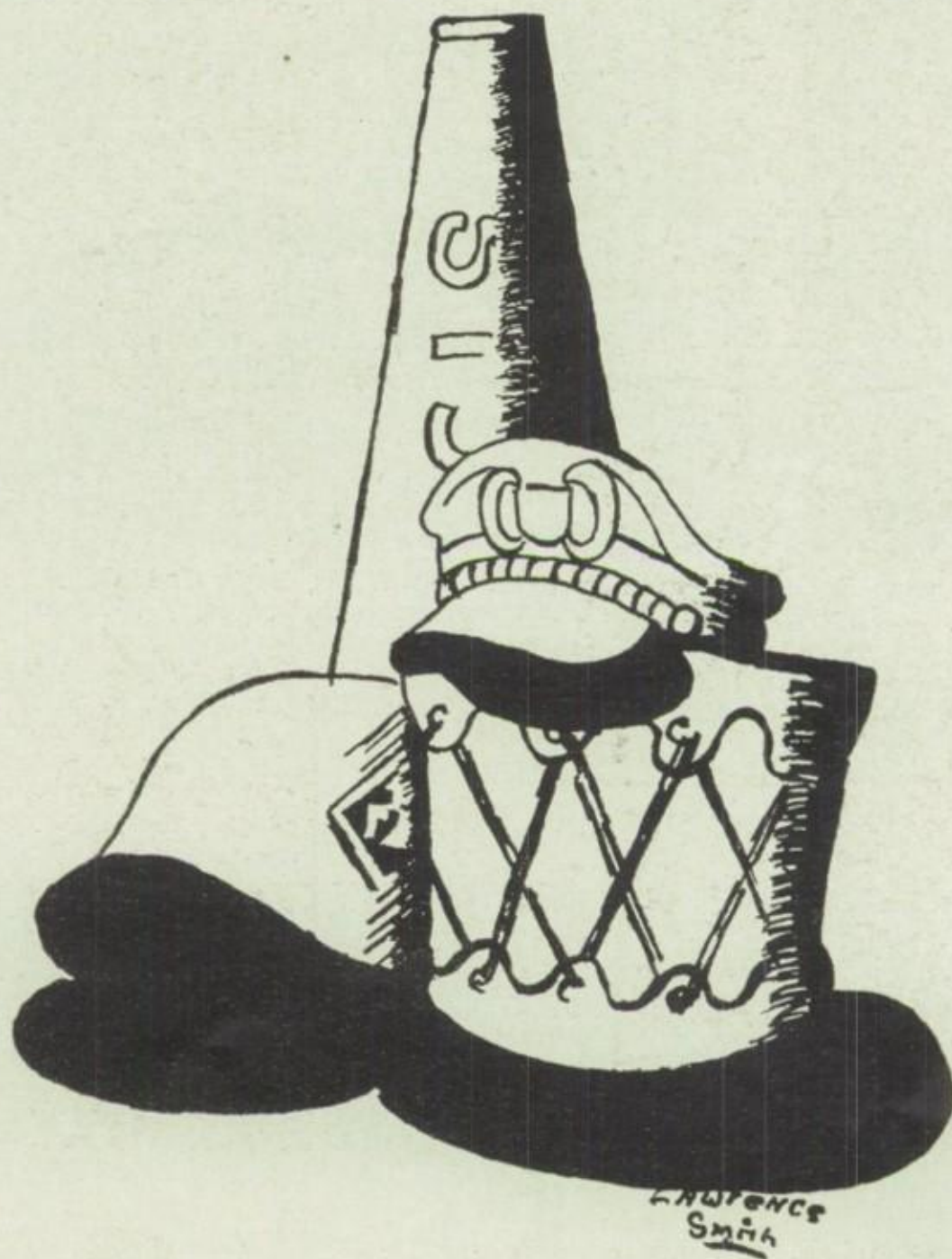


Free Throw Winner

Theresa Isaac, a junior, won the free throw tournament over 75 girls. Each participant was given 40 free-throw attempts. In the final round Theresa defeated Faye Austin for the Free Throw championship title.



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## *Our Student Council Confers*



**Front row:** Robert Whitekiller, Anna Lou Willis, Betty Cody, Marie Williams, Bernice Harjo, Wana Tims, Sista Cleveland, Jack Monroe, Jesse Carter, Jerry Williams

**Back row:** Dorman Benn, Jesse Grant, Vincent Warrior, Wisdom Nibbs, Maxine Little, Anna Mae Harjo, Jimmy Woods, Wilma Tanner, Cyrus Battiest, Edna Randle, Dennis James, Homer Snell.



Planning the picture show schedule: Maxine Little, Robert Whitekiller, Dennis James, Anna Lou Willis.



## *We Present The Chiloccoan*



Journalism Club

**Front row:** David Sixkiller, Pat Peacock, Shirley Tiger, Charlotte Warrior, Betty Brown, Faith Jacobs, Bernice Harjo, Gloria Washington,.

**Back row:** Lawrence Smith, Lyman Choate, Mrs. Vivian Hayman, sponsor; Maxine Little, Reba Homeratha, Theodosia Birdshead, Corrine Herrod, Ida McElhaney, Mr. Jack McCarty, department head, academic.



Annual Staff at work

David Sixkiller, *associate editor*; Lawrence Smith, *art editor*; Patricia Peacock, *editor-in-chief*; Ida McElhaney, *typing committee chairman*; Betty Brown, *business manager*; Reba Homeratha, *girls' physical education*; Maxine Little, *picture committee chairman*; Lyman Choate, *sports editor*.



## *We Were the Ones with "The Smart"*



Oklahoma State Honor Society

**Front row:** Claudette Moore, Faith Carol Jacobs, Delores Little, Ben Allen, Sim McCarty, Robert Whitekiller, Patricia Peacock, Don Cannon.

**Second row:** Ramona Williams, Gloria Washington, Anna Mae Harjo, Fern Harris, Anna Lou Willis, Edna Randle, Betty Brown.

**Third row:** Addie Cerre, Ella Louise Johnico, Lawrine Bullock, Sue Barnes, Carol Fife, Nancy Tyner.

**Fourth row:** John Teehee, Maxine Little, Ida McElhaney, Lucy Murie, Wilma Jean Tanner, Paula Wilson, Merrill Ludlow, Martha Miller.

**Fifth row:** Harold Tyner, Dru Ella Welch, David Sixkiller, Kenneth Punley, Kenneth Ellis, Katherine Mitchell.

**Back row:** Johnny Morris, James Skinner, Neal Williams, Charles Stevens, Wisdom Nibbs, Bruce McCosar. Reginald Williams (Not Pic.)

The Honor Society of Chilocco is affiliated with the State Honor Society. The students that make up this group represent the top 10 per cent of the school in scholastic achievement. We feel that an organization of this kind stimulates interest in school work. It serves as a motivating force to many boys and girls.

The employees and students respect and admire the accomplishments of this group. Its membership changes from year to year since it is based upon achievement. To be a continuous member the student must keep up his school work to the very top and also maintain a good citizenship record.



## *We Were Big and Strong*



Lettermen's Club

**Front row:** Johnny Morris, T. J. Frazier, Wonder Johns, Robert Hale, Burney Waldon, Dennis James, Robert Whitekiller, Bruce Donahue.

**Second row:** Charles Compton, Clarence Marcus, Gordon Whitetree, John King, Herbert Willy, Edward Franklin, Lyman Choate.

**Third row:** Joe Roberts, Dorman Benn, Unich Keener, Jimmy Woods, Don Marland, Marvin Garcia, Tommy Lacher.

**Back row:** Coach Kenneth Moore, Frank Johnson, Tecumseh Jackson, Cecil Johns, Marshall Colbert, Kenneth Punley, George Scott, Presley Battiest, Larry Brown.

Chilocco Lettermen's Club, one of the oldest organizations on the campus, is constituted only of boys lettering in sports at Chilocco.

A meeting is held every Monday night to discuss school problems, enforce rules, and plan benefits for the club members.

Any boy who has earned his letter through high school athletics and meets the requirements of the school standards is eligible for membership in the organization.

Initiation ceremonies are held once a year for new members; paddlings, pranks, and masquerades are the signifying characteristics of the lowly pledger as they walk the campus

during the three-day pledging period. Upon passing the initiation, the member will receive his letter and certificate; then, in his senior year, he will receive his jacket.

One of the highlights enjoyed in the life of every member is the Annual Lettermen's party held in the spring; also the Lettermen going on a two-day fishing trip in the latter part of the school year.

Officers of the club for 1955-56:

President, Robert Hale; vice-president, Johnny Morris; secretary and treasurer, Marshall Colbert; sergeant-at-arms, T. J. Frazier; sponsor, Kenneth C. Moore, Coach.



## School Spirit Soared High



Pep Club

**Front row:** Cheerleaders; Shirley Tiger, Laverne Carpenter, Nancy Tyner, Shirley Howerton, Faith Jacobs, Shirley Wheeler.

**Second row:** Novaline Tarleton, Wanonia Schmidt, Lee Ella Arpoika, Joyce McCann, Joan Teehee, Patricia Peacock.

**Third row:** Ramona Williams, Lillie Mae Foster, Ella Mae Christie, Billie Durant, Delores Little, Madeline Meely.

**Back row:** Georgia Masquat, Julia Bayhille, Anna Mae Harjo, Betty Thomas, Sandra McKibben, Merrill Ludlow.

The Pep Club was organized the first part of the year by electing their president, Lee Ella Arpoika; vice president, Faith Jacobs; secretary-treasurer, Laverne Carpenter; and

reporter, Wanonia Schmidt. Shirley Tiger was elected head cheerleader.

The club made a few trips with the football and basketball teams. It is sponsored by Mrs. Rose Wilkins.



Cheerleaders



## *As We Backed Our Team*



Drill Team

Georgia Masquat, Mildred McLemore, Julia Bayhyle, Wanonia Schmidt, Billie Durant, Sandra McKibben, Delores Little, Mary Jane Wade, Laverne Carpenter, Novaline Tarleton, Ramona Williams, Betty Thomas, Joan Teehee, Ella Mae Christie, Faith Jacobs, Anna Mae Harjo, Wynema Foster, Edna Randle, Joann McCann, Ernestine Tanyan, Joyce McCann, Nancy Tyner.

The Drill Team was organized by their physical education teacher, Mrs. Rose Wilkins. They performed at the half of the football and

basketball games. This is the first year that a drill team has ever been organized at Chilocco.





## *Future Tradesmen*



The Vocational Trades club is composed of students enrolled in any of the vocational trades, within the Trades Department. It is one of the largest clubs on the campus, having a membership of approximately 250.

Club officers are: Robert Hale, president; Gaylon Franklin, vice-president; Jimmie Brown, secretary-treasurer and reporter; and Leon Redbone, sergeant-at-arms.

## *Future Farmers*



The Aggie club is the oldest active club on the Chilocco campus today. The club had its beginning in 1921 when Mr. L. E. Correll, then director of agriculture, originated and sponsored it.

Exchanging ideas, providing recreation, and cultivating a feeling of fellowship among those students who have an interest in agriculture are some of the purposes of the club.

The Aggie club put on its annual assembly program and had the big aggie party in the early spring in addition to the regular meetings once a month.

The club officers are: Marsey Coonhead, president; David Thompson, secretary-treasurer; Johnny Morris, watch dog; Marvin Garcia, reporter; and Dorman Benn, Student Council representative.



## *Yupka Chuka Ikbi*



The Yupka Chuka Ikbi club is the oldest home economics club on the campus, having been organized in February of 1935.

The purpose of this club is to supplement home economics training, to promote a better understanding of household problems and to aid in the development of the girls socially.

The clubs take part in the annual Home Economics club party held each spring, in addition to a number of activities carried on within the club such as an annual Christmas party, a slumber party, and a number of picnics and back yard wiener roasts. The club officers are: president, Martha Miller; vice president, Sue Albert; secretary and treasurer, Corrine Herrod; song leader, Linda Levi; and Miss Marion Ross, sponsor.

## *Future Homemakers of America*



An energetic group of girls that made things hum while they carried out many district, state, and national projects including care of the aged, toys and child care, school improvement, first aid, and a study of the United Nations.

Activities included an officers' breakfast; supper at the home of the chapter parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colglazier; and the trip to Oklahoma City for the state convention. The club officers are: president, Arnetta Jones; vice president, Marie Brown; treasurer, Maggie Bruner; historian, Bernice Harjo; song leader, Maxine Little; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Colglazier; sponsor, Miss Rosemary Woods.



## Arts and Crafts Club



The arts and crafts club is a vocational club open only to any high school girl who wishes to make use of her artistic ability by selecting a hobby.

Some of the crafts from which selections can be made are; bead work, cross stitch, embroidery, textile painting, copper tooling, crocheting, and moccasin making.

This club meets the first and third Wednesday of each month.

Officers of the club are president, Shirley Tiger; vice-president, Pat Peacock; Secretary-Treasurer, Wilma Tanner; and program chairman, Claudette Geiogamah.

## Sub-Deb Club



The Sub-Deb club of Chilocco is an accredited member of the national federation of Sub-Deb clubs. Sponsored by the Ladies Home Journal, it is for girls interested in developing personality and new interests.

The objective of the club is to help make teenage girls conscious of their actions, person-

ality, spoken words, clothes, hair, dress, and how to get along with others.

The officers of the club are Fern Harris, president; Ollie Foster, vice president; Ramona Williams, secretary and treasurer; and the sponsor, Mrs. Lucille J. Schell.



## 4-H Club



Officers for the thirty-seven club members of the Chilocco girls' 4-H club are: president, Addie Cerre; vice president, Kathryn Mitchell; secretary, Betty Brown; song leader, Jennie Collier.

A hay ride afforded a good time for girls and boys in October when 97 enjoyed the ride, roasting wieners and playing organized outdoor games.

Girls dressed their best to attend the Christmas party at the Agriculture building

as guests of the boys in December. Seventeen members participated in a county-wide 4-H clothing school in January. Five delegates represented the club in a county achievement day program. Five members organized and perfected a rhythm musical stunt, "The Wand Drill", presented it in the Kay County share-the-fun contest to place second. Betty Brown and Edna Randle wrote original timely speeches and gave them at the district rally in Newkirk.

## Museum and Guides Club



Officers for the Museum and Guides club are: President, Ramona Williams; vice-president, Julia Franklin; and secretary, Merrill Ludlow.

The purpose of this club is to guide school visitors who wish to see various phases of Chilocco School.



## *Junior Red Cross*



The Chilocco Junior Red Cross meets twice a month on non-vocational club time. Various service projects occupy most of the time, such as canvassing for blood donors, raising a fund for underprivileged children under the United Nations world plan, packing small gift boxes for overseas children who need help, and assisting locally whenever possible.

The group has studied what to do if dangers strike, such as tornadoes and fires; and they have had several meetings on First Aid study.

The girls wrote letters and cards to students and employees ill in hospitals.

## *Speech Club—"The Silver Key"*



The reason for the Silver Key club is to improve one's speech. The club consists of ten girls and ten boys. In club meetings the members give prepared and extemporaneous speeches.

The officers of the club are: president, Mike Jones; vice-president, Charles Parker;

secretary-treasurer, Dorothy Henry; and reporter, Carol Franklin. The sponsor is Miss Kay Ahrnken.

"Everyone is welcome to visit our club and to join it," says Dorothy Henry, secretary-treasurer.



## Indian Dramatics Club



The Indian Dramatics club is a non-vocational club sponsored by Mrs. Josephine Wapp and Mr. John Topaum. This club is open to any Chilocco student interested in Indian custom and Indian lore.

During the fall and spring the club visits many organizations to put on programs consisting of traditional dances.

The club sponsors the big event of crowning the princess and brave, held every spring with a pow-wow in their honor.

Officers of the club during the 1955-56 season are president, Gordon Roy; vice president, Judy Graves; secretary-treasurer, Jean Birdshead; songleader, Henry Redbone; and sergeant-at-arms, Garland Kent.

## Our Social Club



The activities of the Social club include learning to play canasta, bridge and other card games. The club was organized this year. The sponsor is Mrs. Beatrice Boory. The officers

are Louise Osage, president; Rosie Lee Johnson, vice president; and Evelyn York, secretary-treasurer.



## *We're Ready to Protect*



National Guard

Alfred Jimmerson, instructor, teaching class on range procedures. Marvin Garcia is the assistant instructor.



Decoration Ceremony. Men who had served in Korea or Japan for overseas service. Captain Irvin R. Garrison is decorating M/Sgt. Dave King.



## Roster of National Guard

<b>Captains</b>	Johnny Morris	Robert Nez	LeRoy McDermott
Irvin R. Garrison	Ralph Packhorse, Jr.	Wisdom Nibs, Jr.	Tayah L. Shaw
<b>Second Lieutenant</b>	Timothy G. Nibs	Joseph Roberts	James W. Skinner
John M. Kirk	Raymond Parker	Woody M. Silver	Archie Stephenson
<b>Master Sergeants</b>	Burney D. Waldon	Peter Tsinijinnie	John Teehee
Lee. R. Bacon	<b>Specialists Second Class</b>	Lincoln Vann	Francis A. Tiger
Harold L. Crawford	John W. King	John T. Vice	Leo Todicheeney
John A. Going	<b>Specialists Third Class</b>	Herbert D. Willie	Clarence B. Walter
Daniel R. Hudson	James G. Allen	Jimmie J. Yazzie	Delano Watt
John D. King	Glenn P. Johnson	Samuel Yellowhair	Robert Whitekiller
<b>Sergeants First Class</b>	Roy L. Phillips	<b>Privates E-2</b>	Kee Y. Young
George L. Brown	Rarold J. Richards	Jimmie D. Anderson	<b>Privates E-1</b>
William R. Farrell	David Thompson	Leonard D. Begay	Luke A. Austin
James Larney	Arthur J. Woody	Jimmie Brown	Shawn Bradley
Vernon D. Robinson	<b>Privates First Class</b>	Johnny L. Bruner	Larry W. Brown
<b>Sergeants</b>	Benjamin F. Allen	Chauncy Buffalohead	Leon Burris
Cyrus Battiest, Jr.	Presley Battiest	David Bydone	Robert I. Carpenter
Tecumseh Frazier	Jack Foster	Leonard Carroll	Kenneth J. Ellis
Marvin Garcia	David Hale	Delbert Chavez	Keith E. Franklin
Berie Gibson	Norman Jim	Albert R. Cravatt	Benjamin Harris
Tecumseh J. Jackson	Phillip E. Jim	Arthur W. Hill	Lloyd A. Ross
Alfred Jimmerson	Cecil Johnson	Elmer P. Horn	Jerry E. Shorty
Frank Johnson	Johnson F. Lee	Richard H. Hoskie	Benjamin A. Waldon
Bahe Keams	Kee Logg	George B. Johnson	Haskell Williams
Merlin Kennedy	Louis McIntosh	William Littlesun	Jack C. Wilson
			Gordon Whitetree

## I Am The Guard

Civilian in Peace, Soldier in War . . . of security and honor, for three centuries  
I have been the custodian, I am the Guard.

I was with Washington in the dim forests, fought the wily warrior, and watched the dark night bow to the morning. At Concord's bridge, I fired the fateful shot heard 'round the world. I bled on Bunker Hill. My footprints marked the snows at Valley Forge. I pulled a muffled oar on the barge that bridged the icy Delaware. I stood with Washington on the sun-drenched heights of Yorktown. I saw the sword surrendered . . . I am the Guard.

I pulled the trigger that loosed the long rifle's havoc at New Orleans. These things I knew—I was there! I saw both sides of the War between the States—I was there! The hill at San Juan felt the fury of my charge. The far plains and mountains of the Philippines echoed to my shout . . . On the Mexican border I stood . . . I am the Guard. The dark forest of the Argonne blazed with my barrage. Chateau Thierry crumbled to my cannonade. Under the arches of victory I marched in legion—I was there! I am the Guard. I bowed briefly on the grim Corregidor, then saw the light of liberation shine on the faces of my comrades. Through the jungle and on the beaches, I fought the enemy, beat, battered and broke him. I raised our banner to the serene air on Okinawa—I scrambled over Normandy's beaches—I was there! . . . I am the Guard. Across the 38th Parallel I made my stand. I flew MIG Alley—I was there! . . . I am the Guard.

Soldier in war, civilian in peace . . . I am the Guard.

I was at Johnstown, where the raging waters boomed down the valley. I cradled the crying child in my arms and saw the terror leave her eyes. I moved through smoke and flame at Texas City. The stricken knew the comfort of my skill. I dropped the food that fed the starving beast on the frozen fields of the west and through the towering drifts I ploughed to rescue the marooned. I have faced forward to the tornado, the typhoon, and the horror of the hurricane and flood—these things I knew—I was there! . . . I am the Guard. I have brought a more abundant, a fuller, a finer life to our youth. Wherever a strong arm and valiant spirit must defend the Nation, in peace or war, wherever a child cries, or a woman weeps in time of disaster, there I stand . . . I am the Guard. For three centuries a soldier in war, a civilian in peace—of security and honor, I am the custodian, now and forever . . . I am the Guard.



## For God and Our Country



Boy Scouts Troop 87

**Front row:** Jimmy Blackhair, Leonard Juan, Alfred Redboy Homer, Paul Valdez, Larry Nez, Harvey Luna, Evans Jay;  
**Second row:** John Curley Begay, Henry Nez, Billie Nocki Deneh, David Martinez, Tommy Jim, Wallace Lee, Charlie Twain, Willie Joe Williams;  
**Third row:** Joe Curly, Leo B. Begay, Jerry Huskie, Chee Tso Thomas, Raymond Begay;  
**Fourth row:** Alfred Johnson, Huskie Judy, Clarence Many Children, Kee Yazzie Begay, Wilbert Tully Yazzie, Daniel Woody;  
**Fifth row:** Leo Tyler, Tully Begay, Alfred Tso, Tsosie Nelson, Leonard Joe, Tom Dale, Casey Castello;  
**Sixth row:** Lee Bitsui, Chee Topaha, James Dandy, Paul Yazzie, Frank Begay, Alfred Stewart;  
**Seventh row:** Billy Singer, Earl Burke, Jimmy Nocki Bekis, Guy Yazzie Means, Manuel Kee John, Willie Sammy Speen;  
**Eighth row:** Emerson Yazzie, Teddy Yazzie, Raymond Randall, John White Rock, Frank Etsitty;  
**Back row:** Leonard Stewart, Silverious Smiley, Nelson Begay, Phillip Stewart, Marshall Kee Tso.



Explorer Scouts

**Front row:** James Battiest, Raymond Ramon, Charles Snell, Tommy Whitetree;  
**Second row:** Phillip Childers, Don Ross, Harold Tyner, Charles Buckley, Donnie Cannon;  
**Back row:** Don Marland, Lloyd Ross, James Skinner, Charles Factor.



## *We Serve our Alma Mater*



Chilocco Alumni Association

**Front row:** Claude Hayman, '16; Edgar Scroggins, '30; Christine (Gassoway) Scroggins, '31; Eleanor (Parris) Snell, '32; Minnie (McKenzie) Johnson, '19; Kenneth Moore, '36; Albert Snell, '31; Zelma (Joice) Vann, '39; Josiah Vann, '36;

**Second row:** Bobbie Begay, '50; Le Roy Bacon, '49; Harold Burris, '48; Leola (McGilbra) Taylor, '38; Faye (Parnell) Hathcoat, '33; Martin Sanders, '29; Zelda (Tau-U-Neacie) Gray, '28; Francis Pipestem, '29; George Mitchell, '49; Nelson Rowe, '28;

**Back row:** James Larney, '46; Edwin Joice, '39; Carriasco McGilbra, '51; Shineesta (Cheadle) Williams, '42; Simon Williams, '47.

**Not pictured:** Rose (Roberson) Wilkins, '47; James Bearskin, '34; Henry McEwin, '38; Taylet Morgan, '54; David King, '52.

The Chilocco Alumni is composed of graduates from 1894 to the present who are interested in the general welfare of the school.

The group is headed this year by Kenneth C. Moore, president, class of 1936. He is coach of Chilocco's athletic and physical education department. Clem Griffin, class of 1935, teacher of social studies at Bagley Junior High School in Tahlequah, is vice-president. Mrs. Rose Roberson Wilkins, class of 1947, now Chilocco's girls' physical education teacher, is secretary. Claude Hayman, class of 1916, fiscal accounting clerk, is treasurer. Adam Thompson, class of 1947, machinist, residing at

Arkansas City, Kansas is sergeant-at-arms.

The Chilocco roster of employees has some 28 Alumni members. This organization is one of the most closely knitted associations to be found in any accredited high school.

Mrs. Susie Fuller Wheeler is the official Alumni mother. She is a graduate of the class of 1898, and resides in Midwest City.

The Alumni meet twice a year: once in March in preparation for Commencement Exercises; and once in May for the purpose of electing officers for the following year.

The Alumni keep close watch upon the progress of fellow members.



Kenneth C. Moore,  
president



Mrs. Rose Wilkins,  
secretary



Claude Hayman,  
treasurer



Adam Thompson,  
sergeant-at-arms





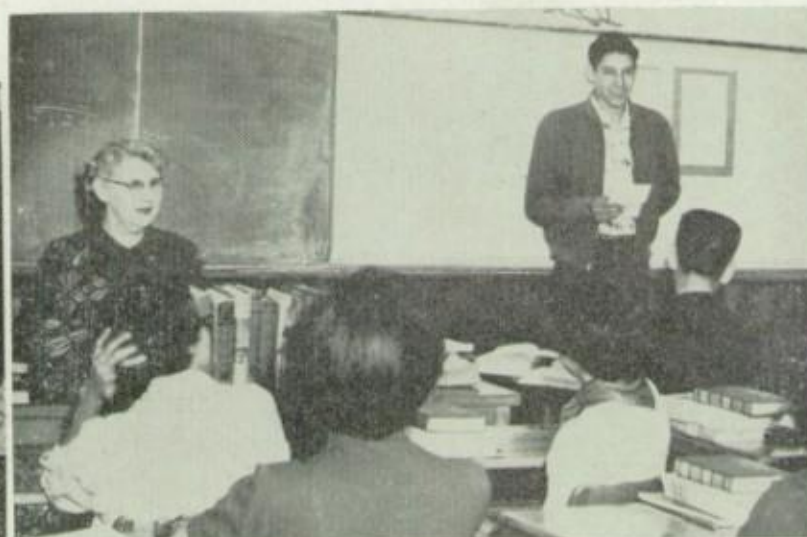
Something new!! No one saw the camera. Everyone is enjoying the annual bazaar.



The "Four Freshmen" entertained at the Trades Assembly. They are Ike Littledave, Jimmy Greenfeather, Max NoEar, and Don Carter.



Addie Cerre installs Robert Whitekiller as president at the Student Council installation, while the rest of the council looks on.



James Skinner is giving way with another of his high powered speeches to Miss Walker and the senior English class. "I ain't lyin'!"



Help from the teacher is always welcome especially in Miss Ahrnken's freshman English class.



Featured on the Trades Assembly was the brass sextet: Sauce July, Keith Franklin, Johnny Bruner, John Vice, Bruce McCosar, and Sim McCarty.



# H O N O R S







DRUM MAJOR  
Fern Harris



Drum Major, Fern Harris, and twirlers, Kathryn Mitchell, Joann Miller, and Juanita Brown.





PROM QUEEN 1955  
Maxine Little



Prom Queen, Maxine Little, and her attendants, Claudette Moore, Fern Harris, Marceline Tippeconnie, and Ollie Foster.





ANNUAL KING AND QUEEN  
Lyman Choate and Shirley Tiger



Annual King and Queen, Lyman Choate and Shirley Tiger as they work on the 1956 Chiloccoan.



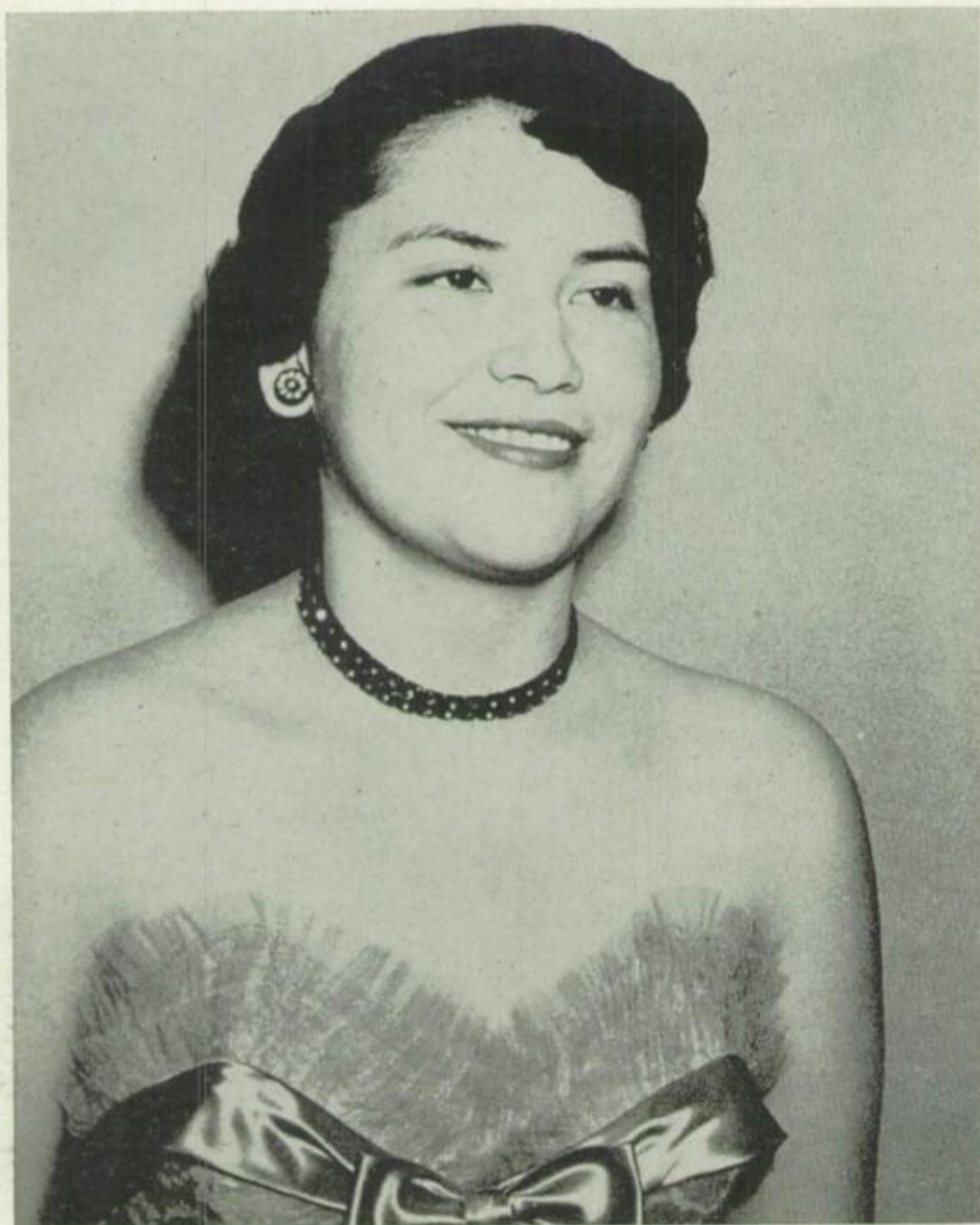


CAMPUS PRINCESS AND BRAVE  
Judy Graves and Marshall Colbert



Campus Princess and Brave, Judy Graves and Marshall Colbert  
with Superintendent Kelley, leading the Indian two-step.





'MISS CHILOCCO'  
Ollie Foster

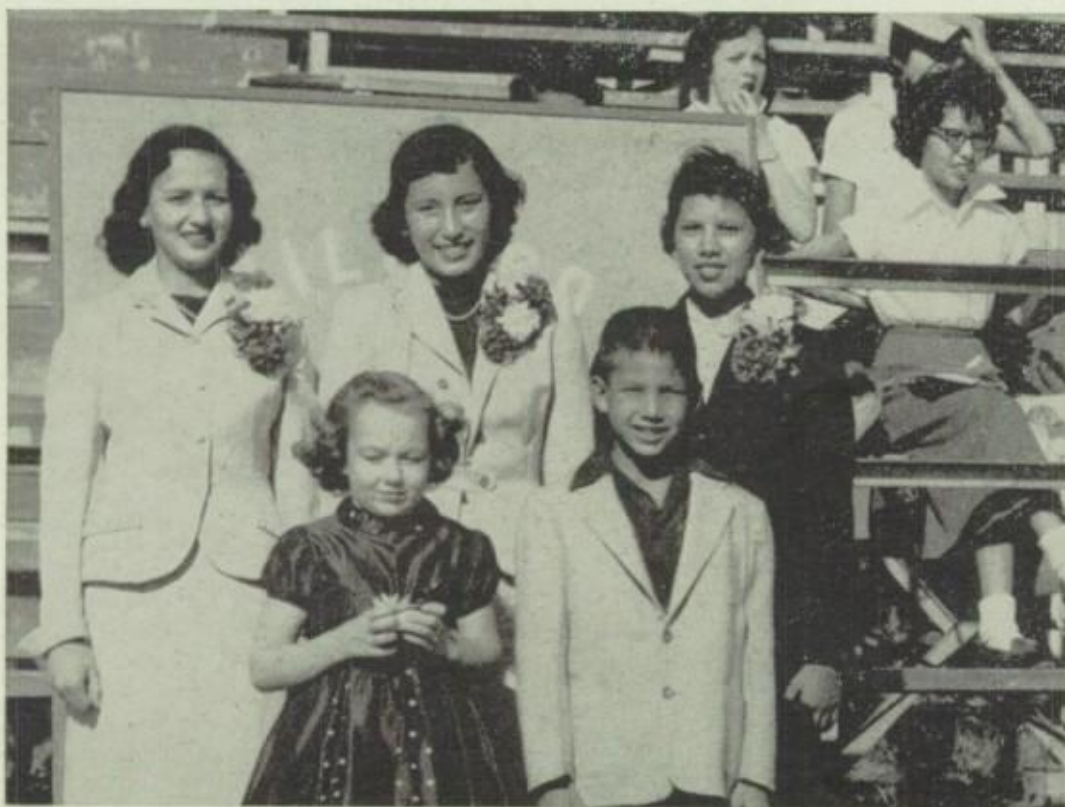


'Miss Chilocco', Ollie Foster, and her escort,  
Dennis James.



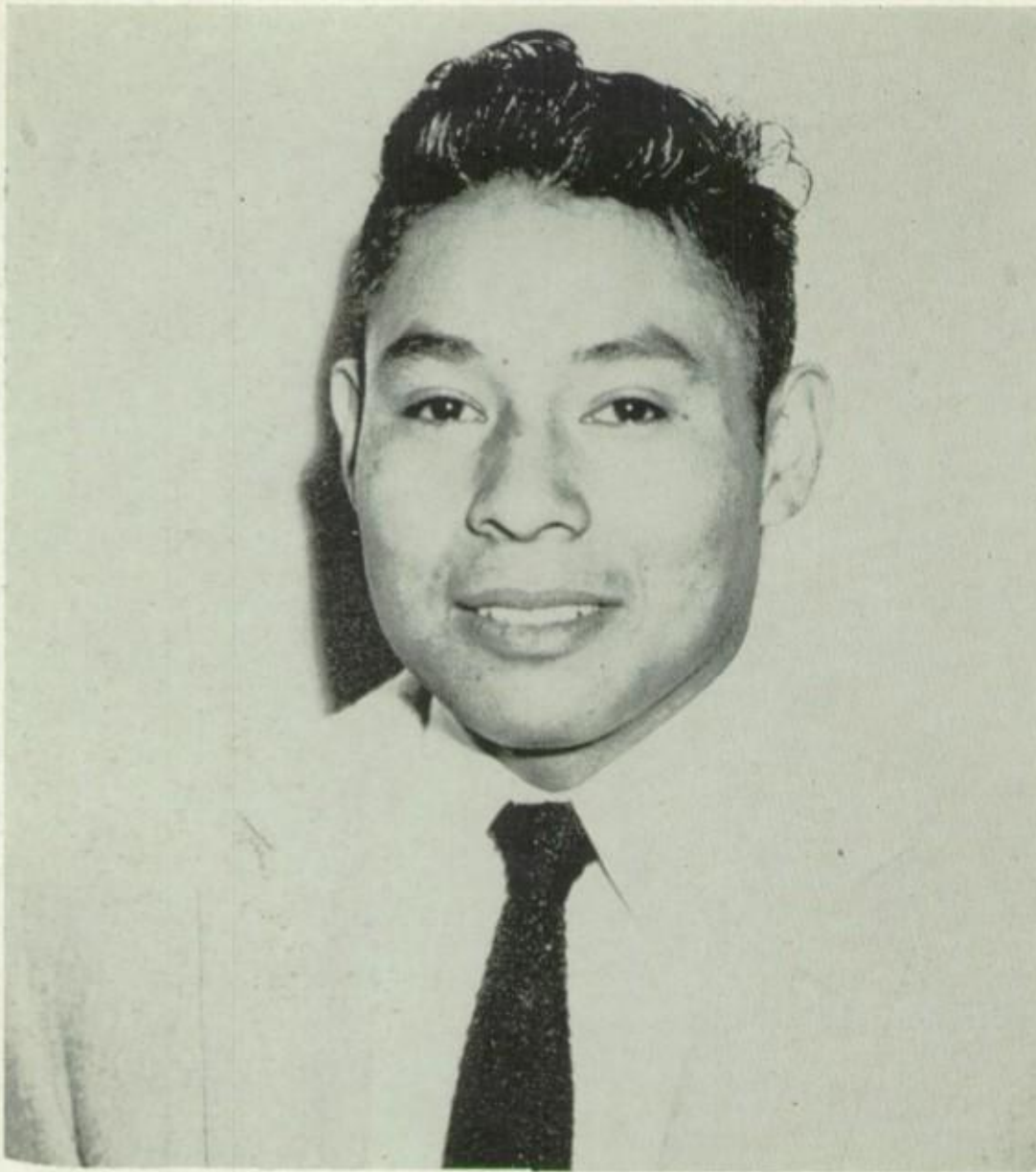


FOOTBALL QUEEN  
Reba Homeratha



Football Queen, Reba Homeratha, and her attendants, Delores Little and Carol Fife. Crown bearers are Linda Stocks and Randy Moore.





MOST INSPIRATIONAL PLAYER  
Tecumseh John Frazier

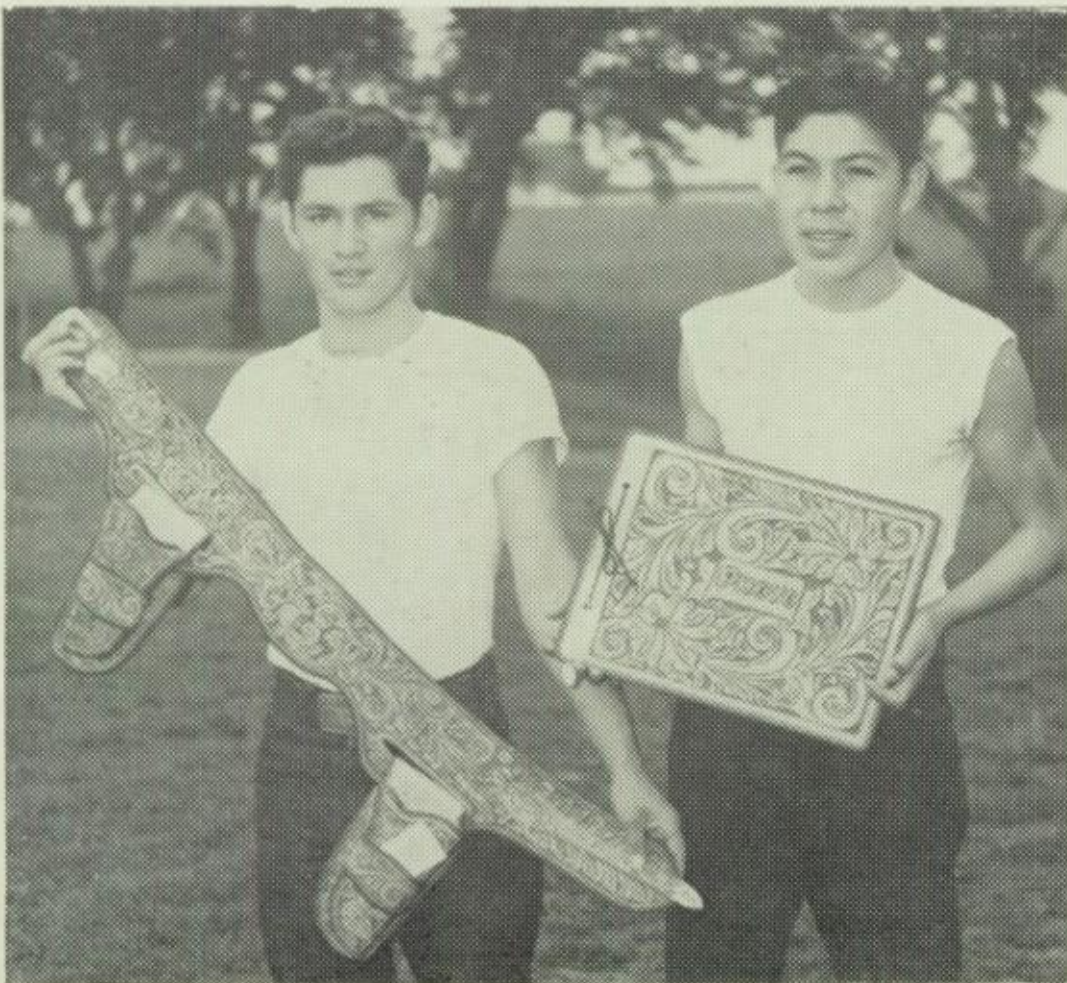


Most Inspirational Player, T. J. Frazier, in action.





FORD INDUSTRIAL CONTEST WINNERS  
Haskell Williams and Tecumseh Jackson



Ford Industrial Contest Winners, Haskell Williams and Tecumseh Jackson, with their exhibits.





**Front row:** Anna Mae Harjo, Frances Peters, Leona Island, Helen Tanner, Gertrude Velarde, Nandine Brown, Mae Tafoya;

**Second row:** Mrs. Anderson, Mary Lou Jones, Pat Wesley, Shirley Tanner, Winnie Benton, Violet Serafin, Marcianna Littleman, Betty Vann, Lasite Tafoya, Charlotte Jackson, Billie Durant, Sue Barnes, Julia Bayhille, Carol Franklin;

**Third row:** Norma McGlashlin, Wanonia Schmidt, Janie Bryant, Dorothy Sharkey, Louise Downing, Dorothy Davis, Phyllis Rowe, Geneva Moore, Mary Jane Wade, Rose Mary Hale, Veronica Cachucha, Barbara Bevenue, Jo Ann Burris.

Grand Champion Winners in the Second Annual Recipe Collection Contest by Seventeen-At-School, the ninth grade foods class entered twenty Indian foods recipes to win. Wanonia Schmidt, fourteen-year old Seneca-Cayuga, represented the class and was accompanied by Mrs. Josie G. Anderson on an

all-expense paid trip by plane to New York and Washington D. C. March 6-11.

Fourteen lovely electric appliances came as a gift to the Junior Foods Department. Each of the members and Mrs. Anderson received an appliance, too.



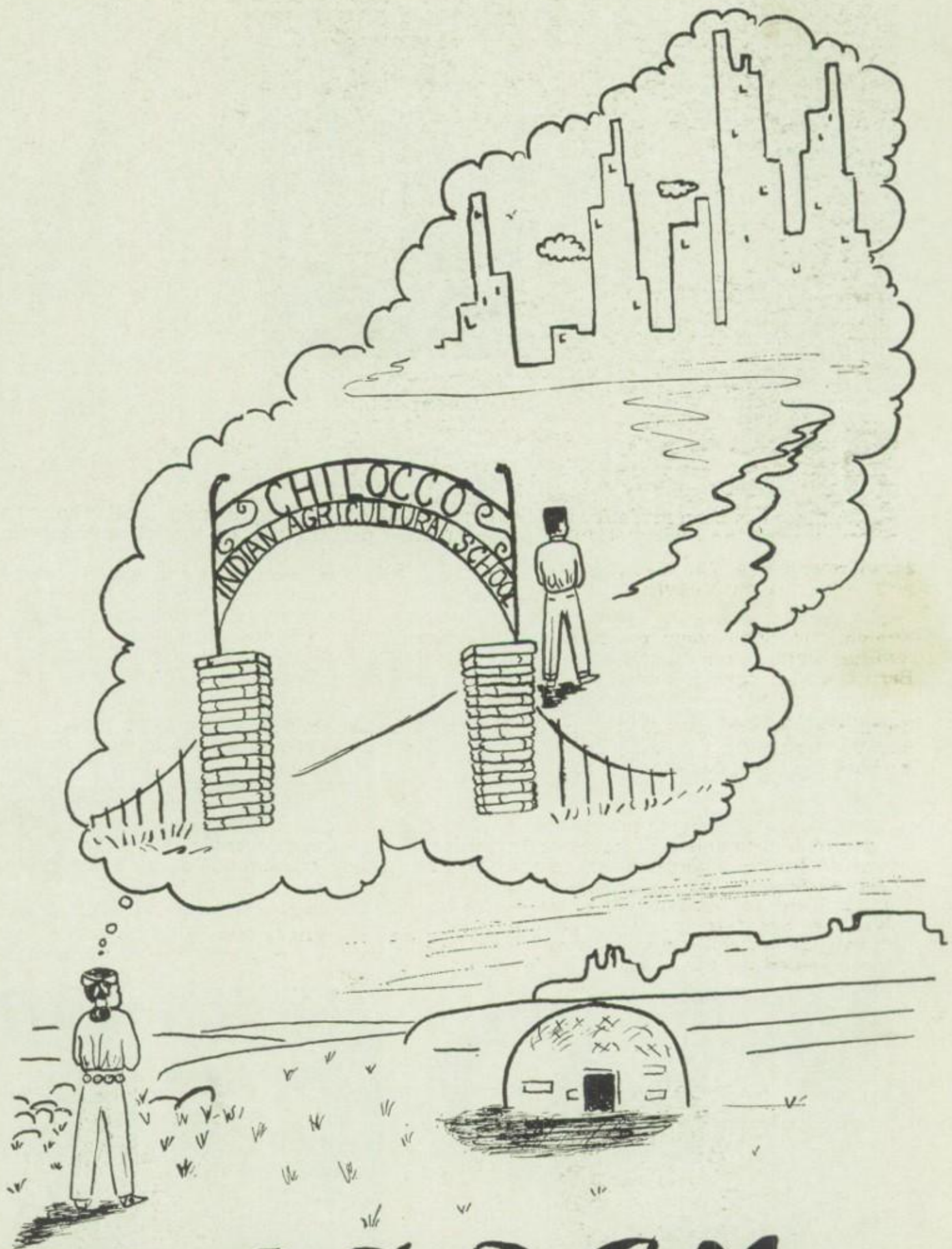
Mrs. Josie Anderson  
Teacher



Wanonia Schmidt



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PROGRAM



## *Department Head, Special Navajo Program*



Mrs. Betty B. Hollowell,  
Leader of Special  
Navajo Program

A place has been made for the fifth graduating class of the Special Navajo program at Chilocco. Your class has achieved a goal and fulfilled a desire. Fifty-one fifth-year boys and girls graduated this year. All of you have jobs. You can make a good living for yourselves. Through your desire for the better things in life, you have become literate and equipped to earn a living. You have gained basic knowledges and skills that help you to understand general customs and manners that differ from your own. You will become a part in the community in which you live and make a contribution to the group.

These achievements are the result of hard work. You boys and girls have shown through your efforts that you have made the most of the opportunities at Chilocco.

Making a vocational choice and taking part in the on-the-job-training provided for you here at Chilocco and nearby towns have helped you boys and girls in preparing for a vocation. You have completed training in Home Service, Dormitory Attending, Waitressing, Hospital Attending, Dry Cleaning and Pressing, Welding, Shoe Repair, Carpentry, Food Service and Agriculture.

Going to school for most of you is over, but learning something new is always possible. What you do for yourself, from now on, depends on your own efforts. The time has come when Indian boys and girls must learn to help themselves. You must become the leaders of your own people, and you must help solve their problems of security, happiness, and success.



Mr. Bobby Begay,  
Instructional Aid



Mrs. Leola Taylor,  
Teacher-Elementary



Mrs. Ida Mae Larney,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mr. George Mitchell,  
Instructional Aid





Mrs. Frances Ackerman,  
Teacher  
Home Economics



Mr. James T. Patterson,  
Vocational and  
Technical subjects



Mr. Raymond Lopez,  
Instructional Aid,  
Special Navajo Program



Mrs. Mary Hornady,  
Teacher  
Home Economics



Mr. Thomas Bessire,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Christine Tolth,  
Instructional Aid,  
Special Navajo Program



Mrs. Ruth McCoy,  
Teacher  
Home Economics



Mr. Eugene Begay,  
Instructional Aid,  
Special Navajo Program



Mrs. Jessie Hill,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mr. Leonard Otipoby,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Shineesta Williams,  
Teacher, Elementary



Miss Hazel Hall,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Nora Benton,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Bula Bessire,  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Elizabeth Heagy,  
Teacher  
Home Economics



Mrs. Marguerite Meeks,  
Teacher, Elementary



## *We Now Know the Ropes*



Mrs. Marie B. McCarty  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Lorraine Moore  
Teacher, Elementary



Mrs. Julian Whorton



Miss Rosie Reid  
Instructional Aid



Fifth-year class officers and sponsors: president, **Jerry Williams, Jr.** (not pictured); vice president, **Ivan Kee** (not pictured); secretary-treasurer, **Sista Cleveland**; sergeant-at-arms, **Peter Tom Begay**. Sponsor, **Miss Marie Engelking**.

Class motto: *Look forward; never backward.*

Class color: Purple and Green

Class flower: Purple Iris



**Maggie Barney**, Dormitory attendant. Gallup, N. M.

**Arnold Begay**, Filling Station attendant, Cameron, Ariz.

**Jimmie C. Begay**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Tuba City, Ariz.

**Joe Kaye Begay**, Carpentry. Pinion, Ariz.

**Joe Keams Begay**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Castle Butte, Ariz.

**Leonard Dene Begay**, Agriculture. Keams Canyon, Ariz.

**Peter Tom Begay**, Food preparation. Chinle, Ariz.

**Sam Begay**, Carpentry. Toadlena, N. M.

**Zeannie Begay**, Home service. Tuba City, Ariz.

**Irene Beletso**, Home service. Cortez, Colorado.

**John Joe Benally**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Chinle, Ariz.

**Glenn Billy**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Chinle, Ariz.

**Gracie Billy**, Waitress training. Gallup, N. M.



**Beulah Black**, Home service. Tuba City, Ariz.

**Norman Brown**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Chinle, Ariz.

**Willie Captain**, Filling station attendant. Shiprock, N. M.

**Tsowie Charleston**, Carpentry. Crown Point, N. M.

**Jimmie Y. Chee**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Vanderwagon, N. M.

**Fannie Louise Clah**, Home service. Shiprock, N. M.

**Sista Annabelle Cleveland**, Dormitory attendant. Steamboat Canyon, Ariz.

**Kee Bahe Dick**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Chinle, Ariz.

**Betty Marie Dodge**, Home service. Cortez, Colorado.

**David Hale**, Painting. St. Michael's Arizona.

**Geneva Holtsoi**, Home service. Chinle, Ariz.

**Howard James**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Cameron, Ariz.

**Louise John**, Waitress training. Chambers, Ariz.

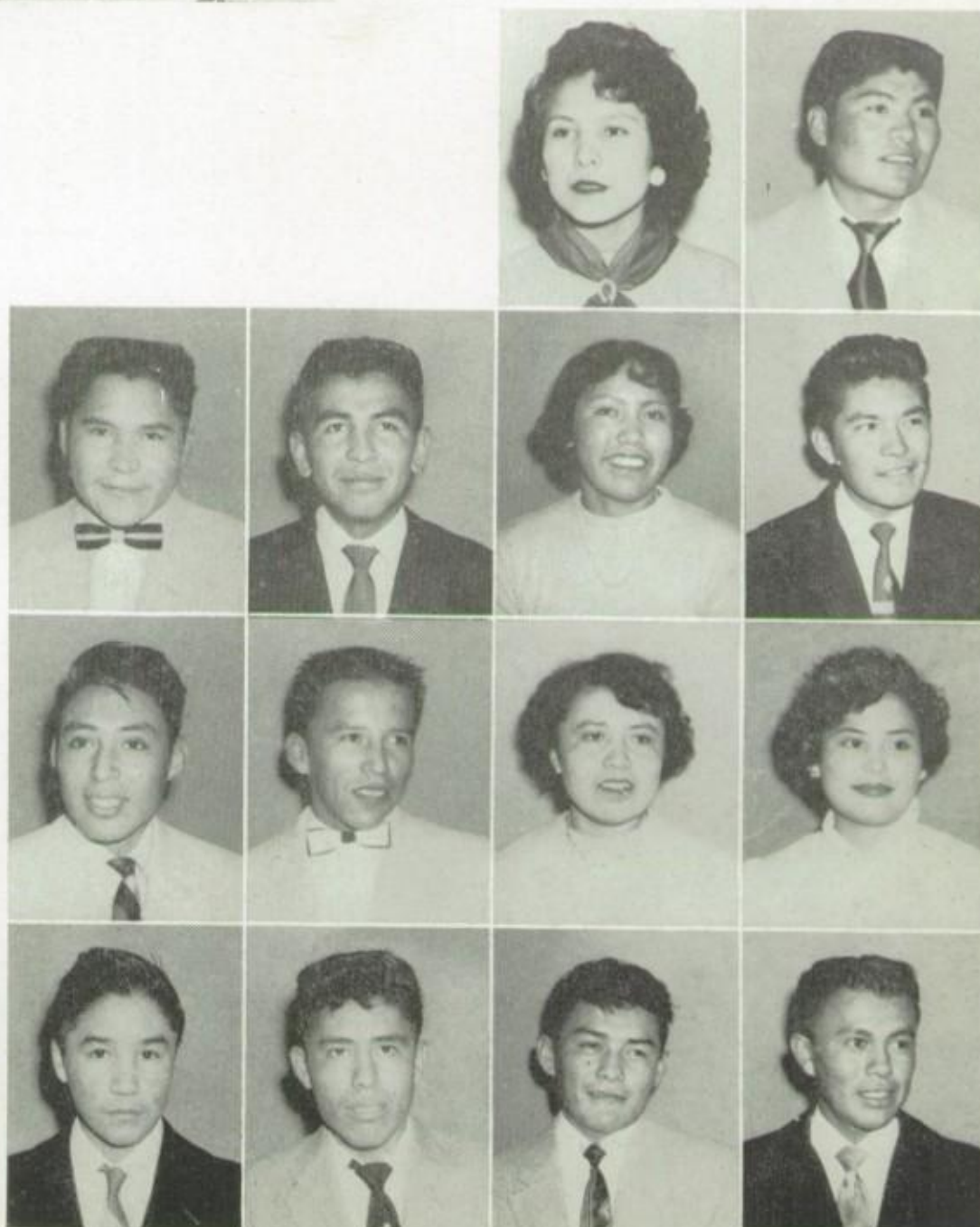
**Sarah John**, Waitress training. Chambers, Ariz.





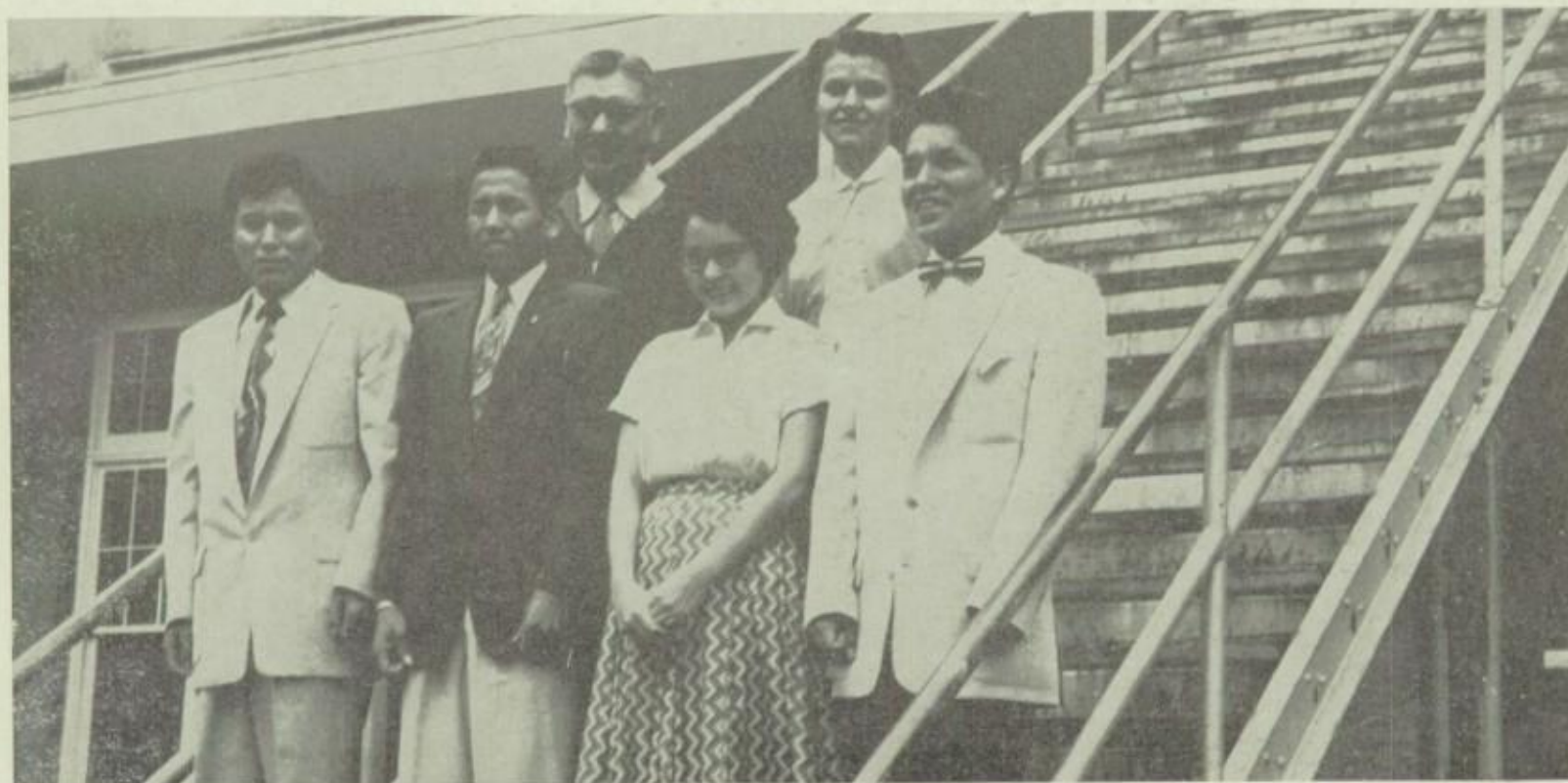
**Ethel Johnson**, Home service. Brimhall, N. M.  
**Frank Jordan**, Carpentry. Lukachukai, Ariz.  
**Ivan Kee**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Ganado, Ariz.  
**Gladys Livingston**, Home service. Brimhall, N. M.  
**Kee Logg**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Klagetoh, Ariz.  
**Amelia Luna**, Waitress training. Kayenta, Ariz.  
**Phoebie Maize**, Home service. Tuba City, Ariz.  
**Rose Ellen Neal**, Home service. Lukachukai, Ariz.  
**Robert Nez**, Painting. Ganado, Ariz.  
**Peter Roe**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. Shiprock, N. M.  
**Johnson Shorthair**, Welding. Shiprock, N. M.  
**Woodie Silver**, Painting. Winslow, Ariz.  
**Connie Spencer**, Home service. Tuba City, Ariz.

**Marie Louise Teddy**, Home service. St. Michael's, Ariz.  
**Leo Todacheene**, Agriculture. Winslow, Ariz.  
**Peter Tsinnijinnie**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Jeddito, Ariz.  
**Levi Tso**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Fort Defiance, Ariz.  
**Mary Ellen Tsoie**, Home service. Chambers, Ariz.  
**Tom D. Watchman**, Carpentry. Gallup, N. M.  
**Jerry Williams, Jr.**, Printing. Tuba City, Ariz.  
**Arthur Woody**, Dry cleaning and pressing. Kayenta, Ariz.  
**Elsie Cecelia Yazzie**, Home service. Ganado, Ariz.  
**Frances Yazzie**, Home service. Chinle, Ariz.  
**Junior Yazzie**, Shoe repair and leathercraft. St. Michael's, Ariz.  
**Roy William Yazzie**, Food preparation. Tuba City, Arizona.  
**Standley Yellowman**, Food preparation. Tuba City, Ariz.  
**Kee Yazzie Young**, Welding. Kaibeto, Ariz.





## *We Are Still Learning the Ropes*



Fourth-year class officers: president, **Justin Billy**; vice president, **Leo Thomas Joe**; secretary-treasurer, **Marie Williams**; sergeant-at-arms, **Dan Woodyty Begay**; Sponsors: **Mrs. Zelma Vann**; **Mr. Leonard Otipoby**.

Class motto: *We never get too old to learn.*

Class colors: Red and light blue.

Class flower: American Beauty Rose.



Mrs. Vann, Group 5, Fourth-year

**Front row:** Marie Sandoval, Ella Lee Smiley, Mary Ann Wauneka, Grace Daniels, Lillian Yellow-mexican, Betty Rose Chee;

**Second row:** Elizabeth Lilly, Rena Gray, Walter Nez, Leo Jim, James Dan, Hollis Harvey, Daisy Talbot;

**Back row:** Ella Mae Johnson, Frank Saltwater, Robert Clah, Willie Tsosie, Raymond Bahe, Sadie Blackgoat, Marie Williams.





Mrs. Vann, Group 5, Fourth-year, Section 2

**Front row:** Irene Etcitty, Anna Dayea, Nellie Curley, Isobel Yazzie, Mamie Daniels;

**Back row:** Monte Billie, James C. Begay, Luke Bigman, Eddie Foster.



Mr. Otipoby, Group 6, Fourth-year, Section 1

**Front row:** Francis Dafford, Bertha Billie, Clara Mae Johnson, Phyllis DeVore, Alma Billie, John F. Yazzie.

**Back row:** Benny Bitsoie, James Shorty Begay, Jay Lee Deschene, Johnny Hudson, Dan Woodty Begay.





Mr. Otipoby, Group 6, Fourth-year, Section 2

**Front row:** Anson Begay, Benson Nez, Jack Monroe, Raymond Kieyoani, Edward Joe;

**Second row:** Ned Tyler, Francis Richard Nez, Bobby Talker, Patrick J. Morgan, Larry Cecil, Alfred Chavez;

**Back row:** Lawrence Francis Begay, Ray Neal, Henry Tsosie Begay, Norman Joe, Jimmy Dodge, Junior Morgan, Donald Noble, Dick Cling.



Miss Engelking, Group 7, Fourth-year

**Front row:** Jerry Shorty, Leo Thomas Joe, Justin Billy, Phillip Jim, Jimmie Knight, Billy Mike, Con Many Children;

**Second row:** Delbert Chavez, Ben Spean, Herbert Lilly, Johnnie Allen, Johnnie Tapaha, Paul Billy;

**Back row:** Norman Jim, Hoskie Frank, Cecil Johnson, Joseph Holiday, Kee Yellowman, Nelson J. Begay, Joe Hobb, Hoskie Nockideneh.





Miss Engleking, Group 7, Fourth-year

**Front row:** Jack Robert Yazzie, Ellen Rose Reid, Irene Lynch, Ruthie D. Begay, Carolyn Y. Black, Raymond Tam;

**Back row:** Leonard Carroll, Tayah Shaw, Wade Shorthair, James Redhouse, Luther A. Singer, Richard Hoskie, David Begay, Tom Sam.



Mrs. Hill, Group 2, Third-year

**Front row:** Mary Capizone, Alice Y. Begay, Mary J. Ben, Annie Whitehair, Willie T. Begay, Joe C. Laughing, Hasbah Yazzie, Lena M. Tyler, Annie Lou Pinto;

**Second row:** Howard Begay, Dorothy Reid, Ella Louise Nez, Irene A. Begay, Mae Kieyonai, Etta Henry, Julia Harvey, Mary Kaye, George Whitehair;

**Back row:** Andy L. Begay, Albert James, Jimmy Luther, Jimmy Y. Wilson, Charley Wilson, Jimmy Ben, Roy Blackmustache, Charles Hosteen, Richard W. Begay.





Miss Hall, Group 4, Third-year

**Front row:** Tina Jean Robbins, Anita Luna, Betty Carolyn Joe, Betty Cody, Elizabeth Ann Brown, Annie Laurie Chester, Rose Goodluck, Rita Yazzie, Lucy Ann Lilly;

**Second row:** John Charley Tohtsoni, Leo B. Begay, Paul Joe George, Joseph Natoni, Johnson Lee, Henry Josley, Calvin Hunt;

**Back row:** Phillip Stewart, Nelson Luke Begay, Leonard Steward, Herbert M. Yazzie, Benjamin Harris, Boyd Warner, Jr., Daniel Ashley, James C. Yazzie, Samuel Yellowhair.



Mrs. Bessire, Group 3, Second- and Third- year

**Front row:** Mary Joe, Gladys Daniels, Mary Ann Smiley, Elsie Lee, Evelyn Begay, Alice Keetso, Betty Begay, Susie Tracy;

**Second row:** Clara Ann Begay, Jimmie Tony, Henry Griffith, Bobbie White, Leo Tsosie, Raymond Randall, Charlie Beard, Boyd Jensen, Henry Jack, Woody C. Begay, Annie Charlie;

**Back row:** Wilson Charlie, Joe James, John Nelson Chee, Leo Tsosie, Sam Arthur, Abel Kinlicheene, David Bydone, Emerson Morgan, Bennie Chee.





Mrs. Benton, Group 1, Second-year

**Front row:** Nellie Yazzie, Jessie Martinez, Jimmy Blackhair, Mary Tsosie, Nellie Gorman, Jerry Huskon, Stella Yellowman, Mary Begay Yellowhair, Annie Peralto, Alfred Red Boy, Dollie Mae Russell;

**Second row:** Nellie Todacheene, Irene Bahe, Billy Singer, Kenneth Yazzie, Robert Bowman, Dan Joe Kaye, Amos Kaye Begay, Tommy Begay, Leona Becenti, Terry Manychildren;

**Back row:** Chester Allen, Sam Begay, Ted Tom, LeRoy Poorman, Key Bahe Etcitty, Ahkee Yazzie Dawes, Jack Kaye Yazzie, Rex Toledo, John Cook, Jonah Begay.



Mrs. Moore, Group 8, Second-year

**Front row:** Ramona Beard, Charley Twain, Harvey Luna, Daisy Todacheene, Willie Joe Williams, Mary Chee, Larry Nez, Martha Begay;

**Second row:** Tommy Jim, Hoskie Judy, Donna Mae Grebb, Tom Begay, Louise Yazzie, Millie Begay, Danny Francis, Evan Jay;

**Back row:** Lena Yazzie, Richard Sonne Begay, Lee Bitsui, Reuben Begay, Tommy Dell Begay, Jerry Cecil, Paul Valdez, Bertha Johnson.





Mrs. Meeks, Group 9, Second-year

**Front row:** Bessie Mae Hanna, Hilda Garcia, Daisy La Pahie, Desbah Begay, Mary Emerson, Betty Costillo, Irene Joe Blacksheep, Lucy Ann Sandoval;

**Second row:** Frances Platero, Ruth Ashiking, Lucy Judy, Rose S. Begay, Effie Joe Ashley, Lena Sonny Begay, Alma Jones, Margaret Rico, Nancy Augustine;

**Back row:** Lee Kee Salt, Harry Ignacio, Lawrence Francis Jim, Jimmy Nakai Bekis, Kee Smiley, John Johnson, Freddie Rico, Gilbert Tom, Charley Sam Tsosie, Henry Keetso, Jack Joe White.

**Not pictured:** Benson A. Tsosie, Hoskie Gene, Bob Taylor Begay.



Mrs. Taylor, Group 10, Second-year

**Front row:** Rose Rock, Ella Eva Tuller, Lorene Werito, Ida Mae Begay, Frank Luke Begay, Florence Yazzie, Marie Russell, June Younne, Gilbert Johnson, Robert Webster;

**Second row:** Rossie Spencer, Marie Billie, Silverius Smiley, Leonard Nia, Henry Wilson Begay, Joey Spencer, Willie James Miller, Mike Tso Yazzie, Wilson Onesalt, Kee Nez Begody, Mary Louise Speen;

**Back row:** Alice Lynch Shaw, Helene Jane Nez, Hugh Yazzie Stene, Harold Joseph Richards, Andrew Anderson Werito, Shirley Wagner, Leta Werito, Fred Eaton, Jr.





Mrs. McCarty, Group 11, Second-year

**Front row:** Anna Yellowmexican, Desbah Todacheene, James Dandy, Lorenzo Kinlicheene, Louise Johnson, Mary Charley, Martha Scott, Henry Nez, Daisy Mae Taylor;

**Second row:** Paul Yazzie, Lorene Martin, Frank Etcitty, Rita Kaye, Rosita Begay, Louise Scott, Dorothy Rose Gleason, Teddy Yazzie, Rose Yellowmexican;

**Back row:** Chee Tabaha, John Whiterock, Kee Martinez, Andrew Chischilly, Amos Billy, Willie White, John Chee, Wallace Begay, Chester Yazzie.



Mrs. Williams, Group 12, First-year

**Front row:** Alfred Tso, Stella Salago, Bonnie Small Canyon, Sadie Musket, Rose Ann George, Irene Ashley, Patrick Murphy, Billie Nockideneh;

**Second row:** Eli Joe, Thomas Uentillie Paul Jones, Tommy Martinez, Roger Silver, Juan Louis Curley, Tony Murphy, Roger Tully;

**Back row:** Marshall Keeto, Raymond Murphy, Homer Ashley, Albert Murphy, Roy Martin Augustine, Richard Frank, John Felix, Earl Burke.





Mrs. Larney, Group 13, First-year

**Front row:** Alfred Stewart, Albert Johnson, Wallace Lee, Ella Kee, David Jones, Guy Means, Tullie Begay;

**Second row:** Helen Sloan, Rose Many Children, Gloria Neztosi, Andy Harrison, Bessie Beletso, Alice Begay, Maggie Yoe;

**Back row:** Laverne Nez, Nealwood Martin, Kee Tso, Jimmy Willie, Wilbert Yazzie, Harry Spencer, Alice Rockbridge.

**Not pictured:** Berlyn Mustache, Earl Laughing, Leonard Juan, Paul Brown, Daniel Woody, Dorothy Jay.



Mrs. Whorton, Group 14, First-year

**Front row:** David Martinez, Raymond Begay, Henry Murphy, Leo Tyler, Casey Castillo, Kee Yaz-zie Begay, Leonard Joe, Clenith Many Children, Johnnie Martinez;

**Second row:** Willie Sammy Speen, Emanuel Kee John, Lorraine Silverhatband, Angela Chee, Betty Beard, Bob Yellow, Chee Tso Thomas;

**Back row:** Tsosie Nelson, Lucy Jim, Violet Tso, Genevieve Begay, Alice Lynch, Gladys Mestes, Jennie Yoe, Edward Kee.





Leo Begay, Boyd Warner and Phillip Stewart. Group is studying the World News-of-the-week map.



Nellie Todacheene, puts an apron through a mangle.



Marie Louise Teddy, Billy Mike, Johnnie Allen and Rose Neal, weighing one another.



This is group 11's luncheon. The girls invited the boys to a luncheon that they prepared.



Mary Kaye helps to assemble the material for fire prevention week.



Wallace Begay and Frank Etsitty are demonstrating rules for good speakers. 2nd year.





Left to right: Johnny Martinez, Genevieve Begay, Jennie Yoe Tsosie, Nelson Willie S. Speen and Manuel K. John.  
Goal 30. Study of the clock, time, etc.



Louise Johnson, Rose Yellowmexican, Mary Charley, John Curley Begay, James Dandy, Joe Curly and Henry Nez.  
This is a reading class in Group 11, 2nd year.



Wilson Charley and Howard Begay discuss a social studies lesson.



Left to right: Mr. Mitchell, Lorraine Silverhatband, Gladys Mestes, Betty Beard, and Violet Tso.  
Studying the function of the body skeleton and the relation of good posture to good health and personal appearance.



Driver—Peter Tsinnijinnie, Howard James and Arthur Woody.  
Drivers' training.



Left to right: Harold Joseph Richards, Alice Lynch Shaw, Frank Luke Begay, Mrs. Leola Taylor, teacher.  
Display of Booklets—Social Studies. (The History of the Navajo).



## *Calendar of the Year*

- September 4, 1955—Arrival of High School students.
- September 5, 1955—Labor Day.
- September 6, 1955—High School Class registration.
- September 9, 1955—Faculty Reception.
- September 10, 1955—Watermelon Feed.
- September 16, 1955—Big-Little Sister Party.
- September 21, 1955—Student Council nomination.
- September 24, 1955—Band to Oklahoma City State Fair.
- September 28, 1955—Student Council Election.
- October 1, 1955—Band to Tulsa State Fair.
- October 3 & 4, 1955—G.A.T.B. Test.
- October 6, 1955—Student Council Installation.
- October 7, 1955—Playday won by Class of 1956.
- October 19, 1955—4-H Club hayride.
- October 20, 1955—General Assembly
- October 21, 1955—Journalism students attend O.I.P.A. Meeting at Norman.
- October 22, 1955—Melody Masters present Lyceum.
- October 28, 1955—Arkalalah
- October 29, 1955—Band in Arkalalah, Halloween Dance.
- November 2, 1955—Employees' Social, Cattle and Horse sale.
- November 4, 1955—Home Economics Assembly.
- November 8, 1955—Third-year Navajo Dinner.
- November 11, 1955—Veterans' Day
- November 15, 1955—Lyceum—Rogers' Variety Show
- November 18, 1955—Annual Bazaar.
- November 24, 1955—Thanksgiving.
- November 25, 1955—Senior Play.
- December 1, 1955—Fourth- and Fifth-year Navajo Dinner.
- December 6, 1955—Death Claims Principal Ernest C. Mueller.
- December 7, 1955—4-H Club Christmas Party.
- December 9, 1955—Band Clinic At Stillwater.
- December 15, 1955—General Assembly.
- December 18, 1955—Christmas Vespers, "Behold That Star".
- December 22, 1955—Christmas Vacation Begins
- December 24, 1955—Christmas treats in Dining Room.
- December 25, 1955—Christmas Day.
- December 31, 1955—New Years' Eve Dance.
- January 1, 1956—New Years' Day.
- January 2, 1956—Vacation Ends.
- January 3, 1956—Classes Begin.
- January 8, 1956—W. Keith Kelley assumes duty as Principal.
- January 10, 1956—Second-year Navajo Dinner.
- January 19, 1956—Home Economics Assembly.
- January 20, 1956—First Semester Ends.
- January 23, 1956—Second Semester Begins.
- January 24, 1956—First-year Navajo Dinner.
- January 26, 1956—Lyceum—Charles "Bud" Thompson.
- January 28, 1956—Trades Teachers' meeting at Tulsa.
- January 30, 1956—March of Dimes Dance.
- February 3, 1956—Band and Choir Party.
- February 6, 1956—4-H Club Attends Share-the-fun Contest in Ponca City.
- February 9, 1956—Trades Assembly
- February 11, 1956—Valentine Party.
- February 14, 1956—Lyceum—Smith-Sane Variety Show.
- February 21, 1956—Sophomore Class Dinner.
- February 23, 1956—Band Concert.
- February 24, 1956—Fourth-and Fifth-year Navajo Party.
- February 27, 1956—Homemakers' Fashion Show.
- March 1, 1956—Posture Contest won by Joyce McCann.
- March 5, 1956—Wanonia Schmidt takes expense-paid trip to New York.
- March 6, 1956—Homemakers' Tea
- March 7, 1956—Employees' Party.



March 8, 1956—Aggie Assembly.  
 March 9, 1956—Home Economics Party.  
 March 10-11, 1956—Co. "C" attends Firing Range.  
 March 20, 1956—Freshman Class Dinner.  
 March 23, 1956—Trades Party.  
 March 26, 1956—Future Homemakers' attend state F.H.A. Rally, C. Leon Wall assumes duties as Principal.  
 March 30, 1956—Good Friday Choir Concert.  
 March 31, 1956—Superintendent L. E. Correll retires.  
 April 1, 1956—Easter Sunday.  
 April 4, 1956—Recognition Dinner for Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Correll.  
 April 7, 1956—Band to Pawnee Parade.  
 April 17, 1956—Jr. and Sr. Class Dinner.  
 April 20, 1956—Aggie Party.  
 April 25, 1956—Judy Graves crowned Chilocco Princess. Escort is Marshall Colbert, Brave.

April 26, 1956—Achievement Day.  
 April 27, 1956—Playday won by Sophomore Class.  
 April 28, 1956—Lettermen's Party.  
 May 4, 1956—Junior and Senior Prom.  
 May 5, 1956—Lettermen's Fishing Trip.  
 May 8, 1956—Fourth- and Fifth-year Navajo Prom.  
 May 9, 1956—Honor Roll Program, Special Navajo Program Graduation.  
 May 11, 1956—Senior Day.  
 May 19, 1956—Farewell Social.  
 May 25, 1956—Pageant.  
 May 26, 1956—Alumni Meeting, Open House, Alumni Dinner and Dance, Livestock Show.  
 May 27, 1956—Band Concert, School Baccalaureate Services, 8 p.m.  
 May 28, 1956—High School Graduation, 9:30 a.m.





Students enjoy Thanksgiving dinner in the Cafeteria.



Chillicothe's float in the Arkalalah parade.



Junior boys pulling in the tug-a-war during the fall play day.



Driver's training students wait to go take their test in Newkirk.



Student Council members run the concession stand during a game.



Home Economics girls help fill Christmas bags for the students.





Music students learn a new song as Miss Dyer leads them.



Scene at the annual Bazaar.



Mr. Gregory explains the American history assignment to the students.



Rosie Johnson and Beverly Powless do an experiment in the chemistry lab.



Lee Ella Arpoika figures her score in a typing test.



Pat Peacock and Claudette Moore fill out class permits. Mrs. Burris looks on.





Pat Peacock, Editor of the 1956 Chiloccoan.



Mrs. Vivian Hayman, sponsor of the Journalism club.

The work of this, the 1956 *Chiloccoan*, has been done by the Journalism Club.

The editor of the yearbook is also president of the club. This year, Patricia Peacock, a Shawnee from Miami, served in this capacity.

Associate editor was David Sixkiller, a Cherokee from Watts; art editor, Lawrence Smith, a Wichita from Anadarko; sports editor,

Lyman Choate, a Choctaw from Finley; business manager, Betty Jean Brown, a Creek from Henryetta.

Committee chairmen were: pictures, Maxine Little, a Cherokee from Borger, Texas; typing, Ida McElhaney, a Cherokee from Porum; clubs, Corrine Herrod, a Creek from Wetumka; girls' physical education, Reba Homeratha, an Otoe from Red Rock.

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Typists for the annual are: Ida McElhaney, Typing committee chairman; Theodosia Birdshead, and Reba Homeratha.



Members of the Journalism club look at the pictures for the annual.







